THE WEATHER

Today fair; Sunday unsettled, probably followed by showers; warmer.

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NO AMALGAMATION SAYS CHAS. S. BIRD

Blames Republican Party for Demoralized and Desperate Condition of Business—Merging of Parties Impossible, He Says at Indiana Convention

INDIANAPOLIS, April 18.—Amalgamation of the progressive and republican parties is impossible, declared Charles Sumner Bird, former progressive candidate for governor of Massachusetts, in an address at the Indiana state convention here today. "Is it possible," he asked, "that the leaders

CHARLES SUMNER BIRD

of the progressive party would work in harmony with the men in control of the republican party? Stand them up and judge for yourself. In one row are Barnes, Penrose, Smoot, Guggenheim and their kind. In the other are Roosevelt, Johnson, Stubbs, Lindsay, Beveridge and the men of their type. It is as impossible to bring these men together upon one platform as it would be to induce the rank and file of the progressive party to follow the leadership of men who would compromise with the bosses of the old parties in order to win the spoils of office.

Content to Wait for Victory

"No, we progressives have blazed our own trail and that is the one we will follow. Disintegration of the progressive party! Nonsense. Those who talk it are the ones who fear the republican party will go first. Today we are a party of more than 4000 strong—a party of advance—much alive and working together with practical unanimity. We do not expect immediate results and are content to await until victory is attained on a solid and lasting basis.

Mr. Bird placed on the republican party the responsibility for what he termed the demoralized and desperate condition of business of the country, asserting that during the Taft administration the republican leaders "had broken their solemn pre-election pledges" and that if they "had not stolen the presidential nomination in the Chicago convention of 1912 then a democratic administration would not have been elected."

"Neither can the democratic party," he continued, "escape the responsibility for the deplorable business situation which, notwithstanding their protestations, has steadily grown worse since the election of Mr. Wilson. Their ceaseless, unremitting attack on business, the unscientific tinkering with the tariff, the failure to appoint a tariff commission to remove what is beyond the reach of professional politicians, the un-American drifting Mexican policy which means war or dishonorable peace, which is worse than war; the looting of our diplomatic service whereby political creditors have superceded trained and faithful—all these cause distrust, suspicion, uncertainty. Business hesitates and halts, and the American people are waiting and watching for a rift in the cloud which hangs over the industrial activities of the country."

TAFT FAMILY POLITICS

HELEN JOINS SUFFRAGISTS AND MOTHER DECLARES FOR THE ANTIS

HARTFORD, Conn., April 18.—Word was received yesterday by the Connecticut Woman Suffrage association that the latest recruit to the cause is Miss Helen Taft, who is a student at Bryn Mawr and whose mother, Mrs. William H. Taft, last week declared her allegiance to the Connecticut association opposed to suffrage.

The president of the Connecticut suffragists, Mrs. Thomas N. Hepburn, who recently drew a bitter analogy between the ex-president's attitude on the big political problems of the country and his wife's old-fashioned standpat notions of women's rights, made the following comment: "This action of mother and daughter is significant of the difference between the past and the present generations."

NO SUN ON MONDAY

In honor of Patriots day, which will be observed on Monday, The Sun will suspend publication of all editions.

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Leg of Spring Lamb, Mint Jelly
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Tables reserved up to Sunday noon. Also a la carte menu and combination.
Music, 5.30 to 8.30

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MOTOR-BUSS CARS LOWELL TO LAWRENCE

To Run Every 40 Minutes in Either Direction — Amos P. Best the Man Behind — New Line Will Meet Public Demand for Quick Service

A motor-buss line between Lowell and Lawrence is the very latest thing on the calendar, and before one month has passed it will be possible to reach Lawrence in 40 minutes, or less time, for the small sum of 15 cents, riding by motor-buss.

Amos P. Best is the man behind and he will start with two cars. The cars will be built along lines similar to the semi-convertible electric cars and will have a seating capacity of 24 or 25. Mr. Best says that if business is very rushing and passengers should want to stand a car would probably accommodate about 35 people.

In looking the field over Mr. Best decided on the car known as the White car. It will be a 30-horse power car and will carry about one ton and a half.

Mr. Best discussed the proposition with The Sun today and he is very enthusiastic. "I feel that the thing is going to be a success from the start," he said, "and while I am going to start with two cars, they will leave Lowell and Lawrence every forty minutes and I think we can cut that time down some unless we have to make too many stops. The cars will be thoroughly up-to-date in every respect and while the horse power will be rated at 30 the engines will be capable of developing 35 horse power.

"The cars will be patterned after the semi-convertible electrics: windows down in fair weather and closed in bad weather. It would be cheaper perhaps to use hard tires, but hard tires don't ride very comfortabe and I have decided to use dual pneumatic tires on the hind wheels. The cars will be upholstered in leather and I can't imagine anything more delightful than a nice ride on the state road along the beautiful Merrimack river between this city and Lawrence. If that ride in the best automobile in the land isn't worth 15 cents I would like to know it. The cars will be equipped with electric lights and will be self starting. It will not be necessary to employ a conductor as the passengers will pay as they enter. The door will be on the right side, near the front, and passengers can step from the sidewalk to the car.

"I feel very positive that the investment will be a profitable one and after I get started I will put on as many cars as the travel demands. There are motor-buss lines running between

AMOS P. BEST

Peabody and Salem and I think between Gloucester and Salem, taking in the Beverleys. If the line between here and Lawrence proves as successful as I think it will, I will start other lines to other points. I appreciate the fact that 15 cents is cheap for rapid transportation between Lowell and Lawrence, but I figure that I can make a good profit at that price."

Public Demand for Line

Asked how he happened to think about the motor-buss line, Mr. Best said: "I had heard so many complaints about the service between Lowell and Lawrence that I thought a motor-buss line would surely pay and when anything looks good to me I want to go through with it. My lease at Willow Dale expires May 1 and in view of the fact that I am no longer in the milk business I decided that I could make a success of the buss line because I can give it my undivided attention. There is a bill now before the legislature for double tracks between Lowell and Lawrence, but perhaps after I get fairly started there won't be any necessity for a double track.

Other Delightful Drives

"If there is any place in the country where a motor-buss line should pay I think it is between here and Lawrence. Strangers riding on electrics between the two cities fairly rave over the river and the beautiful scenery. There are other beautiful rides about Lowell and I think perhaps it would pay to have a car or two making trips to different points just for pleasure and observation. I do not want to be too optimistic but I tell you there is a future right here in Lowell for motor-buss cars and don't you forget it."

FLEET WILL STAY UNTIL SALUTE TO FLAG IS FIRED

Serious Consequences Will Follow Any Refusal by Huerta to Accede to the American Demands — Word From Huerta Hourly Expected

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Upon word from Huerta depended vital developments in the Mexican situation today. The United States had rejected Huerta's repeated suggestion for a simultaneous salute. Naval officers say that under naval precedent salutes are returned only after the party apologizing for an offense finishes firing. Administration officials contend that no recognition, tacit or otherwise of the Huerta government, is involved in the return salute.

This was the status of the situation early today. Word from Huerta of his final acceptance of the American conditions was hourly expected and there was a prediction expressed in many official quarters that it would be given and the incident ended. There were those, however, and especially in congressional circles who thought Huerta would attempt further to delay the issue

The Atlantic fleet will not be called back until the salute is actually fired. It is practically certain that serious consequences will follow any refusal by Huerta to accede to the American demand as outlined in the final messages yesterday. President Wilson has told members of the two congressional committees in charge of foreign affairs that he has given Huerta a reasonable time to comply. This is taken to mean that parleys can continue only until the Atlantic fleet arrives, which is expected to be on Tuesday or Wednesday.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

First Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE LATER EDITIONS

SECRET SERVICE MEN GUARD N. Y. MAYOR

Counsel Polk, Shot in Mistake for Mayor Mitchel, Spent Restless Night—Would-be-assassin May be Sent to Asylum — Says He Intended to Kill the Mayor

NEW YORK, April 18.—Corporation Counsel Frank L. Polk, who was shot in mistake for Mayor Mitchel yesterday by Michael P. Mahoney, mentally unbalanced, spent a restless night and suffered much pain. The bullet was removed early last night and his physicians announced today that the patient would be able to leave the hospital within two days and after a rest of two weeks be fit to resume his official duties. From the many incoherent letters written by Mahoney in which he attacked the official acts of Mayor Mitchel of this city, of Mayor Armstrong of Pittsburgh and of Col. Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone, and after a two hours' study of the aged man, District Attorney Whitman expressed the opinion that Mahoney was of the "embittered and sodden type of hobo." This statement indicated that the district attorney would not oppose action to have the prisoner adjudged insane. Mr. Whitman said that while the best course might be to have Mahoney confined in an asylum, the mayor and Mr. Polk must be consulted before a final decision is reached.

Guard Mayor Mitchel

The attempted assassination by Mahoney caused Police Commissioner

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FUNERAL NOTICES

DUNLAVEY—The funeral of Mary Dunlavey will take place Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home of her parents, 50 Whipple street. Burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker J. J. O'Connell has charge of the funeral.

SDOUKOS—The funeral of Nicholas J. Sdoukos will take place this afternoon from the chapel of C. H. Molloy in Market street. The body will be sent to Manchester, N. H., where the burial will take place tomorrow afternoon from his home, 74 Spruce street, in charge of C. H. Molloy.

DEATHS

DUNLAVEY—Alice Margaret Dunlavey, the infant daughter of Michael and Nora Dunlavey, died yesterday afternoon at their home, 50 South Whipple street, at the age of 1 year and 4 months. She is survived, besides her parents, by three brothers, George, Frank and Joseph Dunlavey, and by two sisters, Isabelle and Mary Dunlavey.

MERRILL—The secretary of the Lowell lodge of Elks has received a communication from Polson, Montana, announcing the death of Frank M. Merrill, a former resident of this city. Mr. Merrill at one time conducted the Merrill House in Tyngsboro and was widely known here 15 years ago. Authorities at Polson ask instructions as to the disposition of the body, and Sec. Hogan is in search of information that will put him in touch with relatives of the dead man.

DODGE—Miss Elsie P. Dodge, formerly of Blue Hill, Me., and a well known resident of this city, died at her home, 143 Grove street, yesterday, lacking one day of 52 years. She is survived by one sister, Miss Nellie A. Dodge, and one brother, W. E. Dodge, both of this city.

HORSE RACING MONDAY

The Lowell Driving club will hold horse races on Boylston street next Monday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock and it is believed that some interesting contests will take place. Any person wishing to enter a horse in any of the races must make application at the office of the club, corner of Middlesex and Thorndike streets, sometime tomorrow evening.

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"The Benedicts," a musical oddity, Charles D. Slattery, made a big hit presented by the famous 20th Century at Associate hall last evening and the Bachelor club under the direction of applause which greeted the presenta-

tion of the program must have been gratifying to the members of the club who occupied places around a large table on the stage. The audience was large, and every part of the evening's program was splendidly carried out and although this group of musicians has conducted many successes in the past, last evening's affair probably excelled all their former efforts.

The work of every member of the club was of a fine order of merit, each of them giving the right spirit to his part to make it go well, and all deserved the liberal applause given. Mr. Slattery had general charge of the production and he was ably assisted by George Smith, as musical director. The chorus was also good and many expressions of approval were heard about the hall at its fine work. Music throughout the evening was furnished by the Bachelor Club orchestra and this proved to be one of the features of the evening.

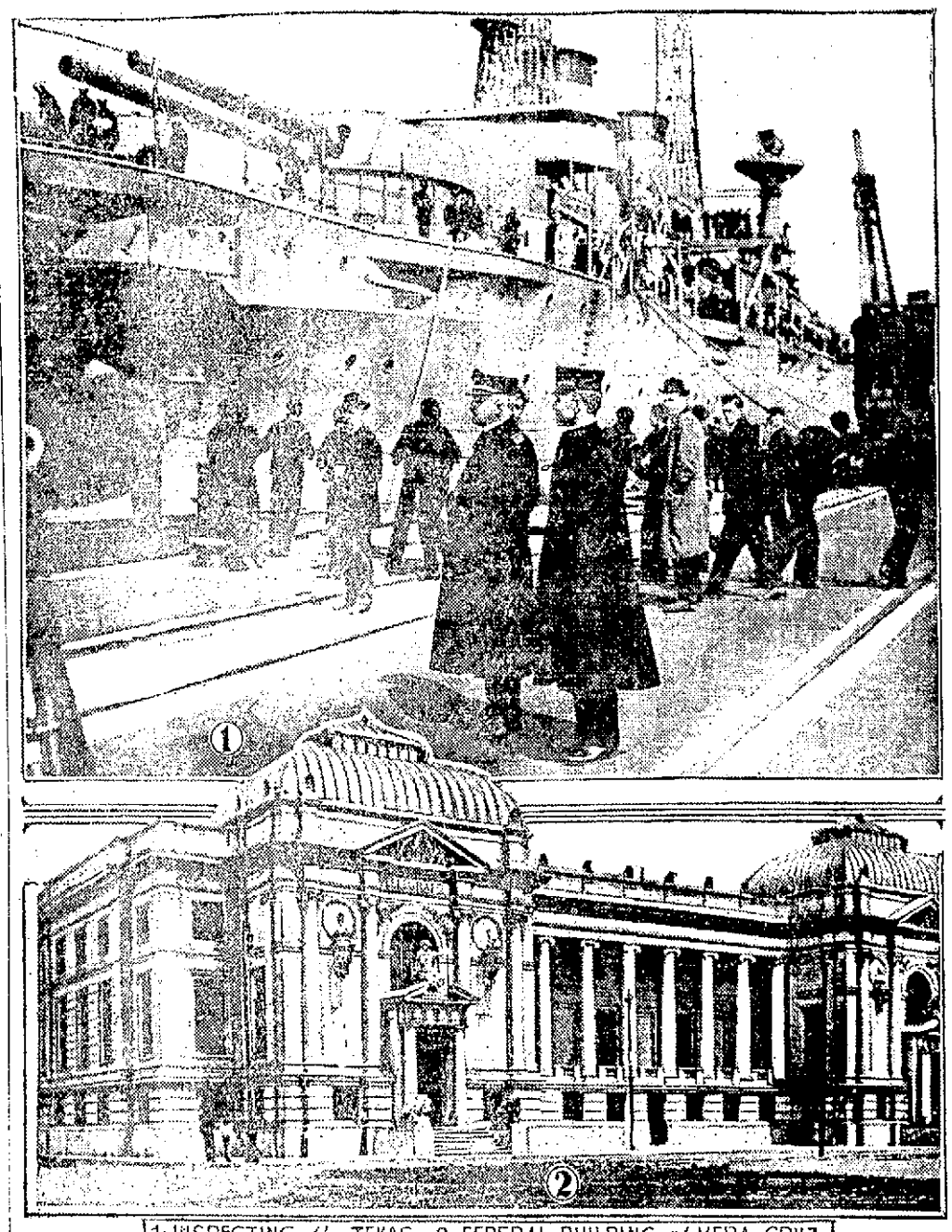
It was nearly 9 o'clock when the curtain was drawn for the opening chorus and the stage presented a very pleasing scene. The background was in purple and white while several American flags were prettily arranged in the centre, make the effect very striking.

After the opening number, which was greeted with loud applause, Walter Mack, who possesses a fine baritone voice, sang "While the Rivers of Love Flow On," and the audience expressed their satisfaction by insisting upon an encore. Richard D. Donoghue, one of the three black faces in the company, made a great hit with his song number, "Within the Law," while Joseph Murphy, basso, pleased with a selection entitled "The Bells." "When I Dream of Old Erin I'm Dreaming of You," by John Devlin, proved a great favorite, but the climax of the evening came when William Marren stepped in front of the footlights and gave one of his latest hits called "When I'm all Dressed Up and No Place to Go." Mr. Marren injected considerable local comedy into his number and was obliged to respond to no less than five encores, and then quit only because time would not allow him to go further.

"Dreams of Mother" by Eugene McCarthy was very well received, while John J. Dalton brought down the house with a well selected song number. Ed. Shea made his usual good impression with a song entitled "Rafferty's Chimes," and also carried out a few clever dance steps that pleased. "Jimmy" Roane made a hit with a very catchy number, "I Love the Ladies," well rendered, and John J. Gleason ended up the entertainment in fine style by singing "I Love the Good Old United States." Several clever local hits were sprung during the entertainment and all were well received by the audience.

After the entertainment dancing was begun and continued till midnight, with the exception of a short intermission, to music furnished by the Bachelor Club orchestra and if anyone failed to enjoy the evening's program it was not the fault of the committee in charge.

CAPTAIN CLEAVES INSPECTING U. S. S. TEXAS, AND FEDERAL BUILDING IN VERA CRUZ



1 INSPECTING the TEXAS — 2 FEDERAL BUILDING at VERA CRUZ
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VERA CRUZ, April 18.—American and foreign refugees from Mexico City are arriving here by the score owing to the disorder in the capital caused by the announcement of the sailing of the additional American warships into Mexican waters. The illustration shows the federal building at Vera Cruz, where all dispatches received for or sent by American citizens are censored by Huerta's officers.

BROOKLYN, April 18.—The great dreadnought Texas is being rushed into commission at the navy yard under orders from Washington. The illustration shows the Texas under inspection by Captain Albert Cleaves (in overcoat), commandant of the navy yard, and Lieut. Newton (at right, in cape).

IN STERLING LIVES A GIRL

Who Suffered As Many Girls Do—Tells How She Found Relief.

Sterling, Conn.—"I am a girl of 22 years and I used to faint away every month and was very weak. I was also bothered a lot with female weakness. I read your little book 'Wisdom for Women,' and I saw how others had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and decided to try it, and it has made me feel like a new girl and I am now relieved of all these troubles. I hope all young girls will get relief as I have. I never felt better in my life."—Miss BERTHA A. PELOQUIN, Box 116, Sterling, Conn.

Massena, N. Y.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I highly recommend it. If anyone wants to write to me I will gladly tell her about my case. I was certainly in a bad condition as my blood was all turning to water. I had pimples on my face and a bad color, and for five years I had been troubled with suppression. The doctors called it 'Anemia and Exhaustion,' and said I was all run down, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me out all right."—Miss LAVISA MYRES, Box 74, Massena, N. Y.

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RICH MAN'S SON IN JAIL

MALCOLM GIFFORD IS CHARGED WITH MURDER OF FRANK J. CLUTE, A CHAUFFEUR

ALBANY, April 18.—Malcolm Gifford, Jr., aged 19, son of a wealthy manufacturer of Hudson, N. Y., is in jail here, charged with the murder of Frank J. Clute, a chauffeur.

Clute was killed April 1, 1913, while driving an unidentified man from here to Troy. The passenger shot Clute in the back of the head, robbed him and threw the body into a ditch. The slayer wore a gray overcoat and a black fedora hat.

On that night Gifford, who had been expelled from a private school a month previously, but never had gone home nor notified his parents, left the house of a friend, Derrick Boardman, in Troy, ostensibly to attend a dance.

He was garbed in a dress suit, a gray overcoat and a light fedora hat, it is said.

Several hours later Gifford appeared at the dance. Witnesses before the grand jury yesterday said his clothing was soiled. The next morning, it was testified, he put his overcoat in one friend's suitcase, his hat in another, borrowed a cap and left for home.

Recently property belonging to Clute was found under the eaves of the house where Gifford stayed on the night of the killing.

A pair of gloves, of the same brand Gifford was wearing when detained by detectives, were found near Clute's body. These, detectives declared, Gifford attempted to hide when they apprehended him at Chatham, Mass., last Tuesday, while he was on his way to Easthampton, Mass., where he was a student.

He was brought here and his detention kept a secret, even from his parents until yesterday.

Clute was shot with an automatic pistol. Authorities say Gifford owned such a weapon. Gifford could drive a machine. An attempt was made by the slayer of Clute to start the automobile after the killing. Footprints showed this. The footprints have been preserved and now are in the custody of District Attorney Harold D. Alexander, who obtained the indictment.

The grand jury returned an indictment and yesterday Gifford was arraigned before Supreme Court Judge Chester. A plea of not guilty was entered for him.

GOOD REPUTATION

EASTHAMPTON, April 18.—Malcolm Gifford, Jr., who is under arrest at Albany, N. Y., charged with the murder of Frank J. Clute, was a student at a seminary here last winter. He entered the school the first of the year and left at the beginning of the spring vacation three weeks ago. It was supposed he had gone to his home in Hudson, N. Y. He did not return at the opening of the spring term and nothing had been heard from him. According to the principal of the seminary Gifford had an excellent reputation and was a good student.

A Sunday-Full of Good Things

The Boston Sunday Herald next Sunday will provide a whole Sunday-full of entertaining features—for men readers and for women readers—especially for women readers.

Fashions? A lot of them. And not just the ordinary fashion-chatter and lifeless line-cuts, but the cleverest pictures and the most entertaining description of them that you ever saw in a newspaper. Anne Rittenhouse has been in Europe in the interest of Sunday Herald readers, and what she has to disclose next Sunday is as fascinating as it is fresh.

A Colored Feature Section—eight pages of attractive illustrations and articles that tell what's happening in the interesting places where interesting things happen to interesting people. One illuminating feature-story intimates that there may be a real connection between the advent of the Suffragette and the vogue for green and purple wigs. You'll enjoy **that** story.

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The Fun Section, in colors, is as thoroughly amusing and next Sunday it will provide plenty of real humor for every member of the family. Be sure the children see the pictures of Dimples.

There are so many other good features that deserve mention that it would be easy to slight the fact that first, last, and all the time The NEW Sunday Herald is a **NEWSpaper** and that it supplies **ALL** the news, including a **Sports** Section, edited by real authorities.

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LOWELL BOY AT VERA CRUZ

George J. McCarthy Writes of Conditions in Mexico

Says U. S. Sailors are Ready and Anxious to Proceed, if Ordered

Apropos of the near war in Mexico, comes a letter to this city from George J. McCarthy, a Lowell boy, who is a member of the crew of the United States battleship Utah, which is stationed at Vera Cruz. The letter was sent to a cousin here and gives an account of the hostilities in the revolutionary country. It explains how the United States sailors and marines are interested in the movements of the rebels and federals and how anxious some are for a chance to show how well trained the representatives of the Stars and Stripes are for active duty.

The sanguinary fighting, the terrible tortures to innocent women and children, the devastation of valuable properties and many other inhuman acts, have so excited the Americans, that an order to advance would be a welcome command, says the Lowell sailor boy.

Young McCarthy is the son of Mrs. Minnie McCarthy of Tyler street, and he is 20 years old. He enlisted four years ago. He was first sent to a training station remaining the usual one year after which he was transferred to a "real ship." His present term expires in July, but he states that he will reenlist, inasmuch as he desires to take the trip throug the Panama canal.

Owing to the fact that the letter contains considerable personal matter, only parts are published. In opening the young sailor tells how well he is getting along, especially with his work. He is studying wireless telegraphy and is making rapid progress in the art. He hopes that at the expiration of his second term he will be a proficient operator.

When the letter was written the rebels, under Villa and Carranza were having it practically all their own way and the indication were that the federals would be routed out of Torreon. This has been accomplished since.

While the Lowell boy was not on shore at Mexico, his ship, he states, was so near the coast that all on board could hear the roar of the cannon and could see the smoke from the burning buildings vanish in the clouds. "We then realized," the writer states, "that many lives were being crushed out, and that the victors were gathering bodies to be thrown into a ditch or piling them up to be burned like rubbish."

"These are some of the things that were going on only a few miles from us, and it was all that we could do to endure the thoughts of such terrible tortures."

"Many nights we do not sleep a wink, but sit up and listen to the thundering of the cannon and watch the smoke and sometimes the flames leaping from the buildings and lighting up the skies. Such sights and reports send a thrill through us, and many would appreciate an order to land.

GEORGE J. McCARTHY
Photo Taken on Board Battleship Utah at Vera Cruz

"We are well supplied," the letter continues, "and while we do not get the food that is served to us when we are up north or even on a cruise, we are getting enough to eat and are satisfied to remain here, knowing that, if not ordered to the front, we will return and then get the best of everything.

"We have a very congenial crowd on board and when off duty some great events are pulled off. There are the usual champion pugilists, runners, wrestlers, etc. and they provide us with fine entertainments. We also have a band, which furnishes music for our dances.

"Of course, boys dance with boys, but the ones who play the "ladies" interpret their parts in great style. We do the tango, Boston dip and the other new ones and have a few of "our own make," that are never seen in a dance hall.

One paragraph states: "Well, I see Sec. Daniels has issued an order that no liquor will be allowed on board. This will make the officers sit up and take notice. They are the only ones who have it, as the "jackies" never get more than the odor. Some are of the opinion that liquor is served to all the men, but this is not so. The officers, however, do enjoy it at mess, but few to excess. They will miss it though, owing to the fact that they have always had the privilege of using the "fire water."

In another part that the reporter was allowed to copy, the letter reads: "We are planning a great celebration if we get back to port and are saving up for the event. The present indications are that we will have over one thousand dollars for the affair, and if it materializes, I will invite some of my Lowell friends to attend.

If Coffee Don't Agree

Much of today's nervousness, indigestion, languor, kidney and liver trouble, come from indiscretions in eating and drinking, so commonplace that they are seldom considered till Nature pulls one up with a sharp jerk.

More often than is suspected, coffee is the cause of these troubles.

A simple, easy way to discover the real cause and relieve one's self of a lot of discomfort is to quit coffee for ten days and try

POSTUM

This beverage contains none of the coffee drugs (caffeine, tannin, etc.) which are responsible for many human ailments, big and little. Postum is a food-drink made from prime wheat and a bit of molasses. It is pure and contains only the wholesome goodness of the grain.

Postum comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble form. A teaspoonful stirred in a cup of hot water dissolves quickly and makes a most delightful beverage, with cream and sugar added to taste. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

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Grocers everywhere sell Postum.

TAKE DYS-PEP-LETS ALONG WITH YOU

It is always a wise thing to carry a box of Dys-pep-lets with you wherever you go. You can get a good-sized box for a quarter from your druggist. To be without such a remedy when the stomach has become sour, or something has been eaten that the stomach cannot digest without help, is to be in an uncomfortable situation, to say the least, and it may become serious.

Dys-pep-lets are pleasant to take, prompt in effect and economical.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending April 18, 1914

LOWELL

John W. Broadbent to George Ashworth, land on Gorham street.

Clarence H. Nelson to William H. Wood et ux., land and buildings on Fort Hill avenue.

Raoul Dionne et ux., to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Boisvert street.

Albert S. Read by mtgee., to Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, land and buildings on Riverside street.

Louis Cayer to Euclide Cinq-Mars, land on Endicott street.

Daniel M. Richardson est., by exor., to Anne R. Talbot, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Anne R. Talbot to Edwin A. Simpson, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Mary A. Richardson, by gdn., to Edwin A. Simpson, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Sarah J. Kilbartrick to Ezra A. Jones land and buildings cor. Rose ave. and West Forrest and Stevens streets.

Arthur Genest to Arthur O. Montmarquet, et al., land and buildings on Forrest street.

Belvidere Woolen Mfg. Co., Lowell, to S. Parker Bremer, land and buildings cor. Fayette and Chestnut streets.

Earel Greenberg to Ike Zelin et ux., land and buildings on Dutton street and passageway.

Cora M. Clough et al., to Henry P. Clough, land and buildings cor. West Tenth and Bridge streets.

Delphine Lapanne by mtgee., to Damas Pelletier, land on Acton street.

Mary Louise Swan Baron to Belizer Roux, land on Methuen street.

Belvidere Woolen Mfg. Co., Lowell, to V. Brooks Stevens, land and buildings on Brown, Howe and Chestnut streets.

Wamesit Power Company to City of Lowell, land on Lawrence street.

Jacob Rogers to City of Lowell, land cor. Wyman and Clitheroe streets.

Sophie Carrier to Louis Cayer, land and buildings cor. White and Dracut streets.

Walter H. McKinnon et ux., to Fred M. Barney, land on School street.

Edward Callahan et al., to Elizabeth Eldridge, land and buildings on Fulton street.

F. J. Van Greenberg to Fanny Finberg, land and buildings on Howard street.

Anthony D. Mitten to John Jarek et al., land on Plain, Houghton and Parker streets.

Arthur M. Robbins et al., to Edward J. Robbins et al., land on Sutherland street.

Orange H. Stafford est., by extx. and tr., et al., to Edward J. Robbins et al., land on Sutherland street.

Oliver H. Coburn commr., to Emma F. Hill, land cor. Humphrey and Willard streets.

BILLERICA

Aaron Adelman to Albertina Ericson, land on Burlington road.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Isidore P. Dube, land on Woodland road.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Jean Baptiste Bissonnette, land on River View avenue.

Carrie C. Corkum to Francis V. Balch's trs., land.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Charles Bruce, land on Pollard street and River View ave.

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Charles S. Dodge to Mary Bollington, land on Railroad street, Dane ave. and Fordway road.

Annie E. Jendricks to Mary D. Doyle, land and buildings on Beacon street.

Arthur A. Jendricks et ux., to Mary D. Doyle, land on Beacon street.

Michael H. McElligott et al., to Cora W. Chute, land on Fairview street.

Barnet M. Hein to Florence M. Ray, land on Pinegrove avenue.

Aaron Adelman to Helen McGibbney, land on Washington avenue.

James E. Burke tr. to Abbie J. McGowan, land at Central Park.

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CARLISLE

Sarah E. Edwards to Alice M. Connolly, land and buildings on road to Billerica.

CHELMSFORD

Wladystow Zablerek to John Jarek, land.

DRACUT

Lucelia A. Willoughby to Clarence C. Huntting, land near Lakeview ave.

Erastus A. Bartlett et ux., to Walarina Noraukevesz, land.

John J. Callery to Erwin W. Scofield et al, land.

John J. Callery to Belle F. Batchelder, land and buildings on Nashua road.

Phoebe Ames to William Tyrell, land cor. Upland and Pleasant streets.

James Stewart Murphy to Frederick E. Brown, land on Jacob street.

Oliver H. Coburn, commr., to Emma F. Hill, land on Bridge street.

TYNGSBORO

Edgar C. Linn et ux., to John J. Hart, land on Willowdale ave.

TEWKSBURY

Grace V. Nickerson to Gladyce G. McVean, land on Elm street and Glenwood road.

Grace V. Nickerson to Mary Donovan, land cor. Maplewood ave. and Elm street.

James Martin to Bridget Wilson, land at Fairlawn.

Estella H. Richardson to Mary E. Richardson, land on Chandler street.

WESTFORD

George O. Jackson to Alice L. Prescott, land and buildings on Pine street.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton to Merrimac Chemical Co., Woburn, land.

Thomas B. Coolidge et al., to Merriback Chemical Co., Woburn, land on New Boston street.

Leonardo Candela to Vincent Gingia, land on Ashmont and Marion streets.

Richmond F. Hudson to New England Live Stock company, Peabody, land on Main road from Woburn to Wilmington.

George E. Kane to Margaret Paterson, land at Oakland Park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Frank H. Bell, land on Laurel avenue.

Leslie W. Walker et al., to George Winn, et al., land.

GOV. WALSH AT DEDICATION

ADAMS, April 18.—Gov. Walsh and his staff took part in the dedication of the armory of Company M, Second regiment, last night. The governor formally handed the keys of the building to Capt. J. Tracy Potter of the company after addresses by William B. Plunkett and others.

FINISHING TOUCHES ON RESOLUTE

BRISTOL, R. I., April 18.—The work of rubbing down the bronze hull of the cup defence candidate Resolute with electric buffers, was finished yesterday and the finishing touches will now be given by the crew. Tests which would have just been completed are said to have shown that the rigging of the sloop could stand a strain of 71,000 pounds to the square inch.

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Beecham's Pills have proved to be of incalculable value to expectant and suffering humanity. Their fame is world-wide and it rests on merit. This time-tested home remedy is universally popular because it is so safe, speedy and always reliable. There is good health in every box. The first time you take

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you will know what it is to have a remedy which will relieve unfailingly many ailments due to defective or irregular action of the stomach, liver, kidneys or bowels. Permanent improvement follows their judicious use—better digestion, keener appetite, sounder sleep, purer blood, brighter spirits. You will agree with the many grateful users who proclaim Beecham's Pills are

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Directions of Special Importance to Women with Every Box.

THE GREEK GOOD FRIDAY

Celebrated by Local Colony With Impressive Services—Imposing Procession

According to the Orthodox calendar yesterday was Good Friday and the members of the local Greek colony observed the feast in a very imposing manner last evening, the celebration consisting of a church service and a procession of the Epitaphius, or the bas-relief representation of the body of Christ. The procession was headed by the Sixth Regiment band and in the line of march were about 3000 men, women and children, all carrying lighted tapers. The veterans of the two recent wars served as escorts to the body of Christ while in the rear came the pastor, Rev. Hariton Panogopoulos and the church choir.

The service was held at the Greek Orthodox church in Jefferson street and started at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, when the faithful gathered in the church and for two hours the elaborate ritual was chanted, first by the choir and then by the priest. Shortly before 10 o'clock the procession was started. The Epitaphius was constructed of wood and handsomely decorated with flowers and lighted tapers. It was carried by four men, who alternated with four others after a certain portion of the route had been covered. The bells of the church tolled and the large congregation crossed themseves.

The line formed in Lewis street and the route covered was Jefferson, Market, Adams, Cross, Jefferson and back to the church.

Four times there was a halt during the procession and each time the Kyrie Eleison was chanted by the antiphonal choirs, and occasionally came the soft, deep voice of the priest who told in sorrowful language of the crucifixion of Christ. Then the band played Chopin's Funeral March and the large congregation wended its way through the principal streets of the district. The windows of the Greek homes along the route were ornamented with burning candles and the scene was most impressive. When the congregation returned to the church the service was completed and the faithful approached the Epitaphius. They kissed the wrists and the feet of the symbolic Christ, as well as the places where the spikes had been placed that fastened Him to the cross. And then, piece by piece, the flowers were torn away and were pressed to the lips of the worshippers and taken home.

Today is Holy Saturday and services will be held this evening. The service will begin at 11 o'clock and continue till 2 o'clock tomorrow morning, which will be Easter Sunday. A mass will be celebrated at midnight by the pastor, when the resurrection will be proclaimed and the hymn, "Christ Has Risen," will be chanted by the congregation.

LOWELL PROOF

Should Convince Every Lowell Reader

The frank statement of a neighbor, telling the merits of a remedy,
Bids you pause and believe.
The same endorsement
By some stranger far away
Commands no belief at all.
Here's a Lowell case.
Lowell citizens testifies.
Read and be convinced.

Mrs. Frank E. Laidlaw, 36 Howard street, Lowell, Mass., says: "My kidneys began to trouble me some time ago. My back ached and my body bloated. My hands and feet bloated and I had dizzy spells, during which spots floated before my eyes, causing me much annoyance. I finally got a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills. I have taken about two boxes now and am rapidly approaching a cure."

The above statement must carry conviction to the mind of every reader. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Laidlaw had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Will be as pure as crystal,
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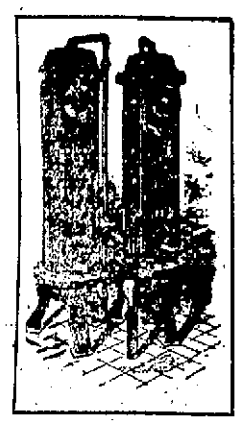

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HALT ON HAMMERSTEIN

INJUNCTION FORBIDS PRODUCING OPERA IN BOSTON OR NEW YORK FOR SIX YEARS

NEW YORK, April 18.—Oscar Hammerstein and his son Arthur are restrained from producing either comic or grand opera in Boston and New York until April 26, 1920, according to a decision of the appellate division of the supreme court yesterday.

The complaint against Hammerstein was filed by the Metropolitan Opera company and stated that Hammerstein agreed not to produce opera in Boston or New York for 10 years if the Metropolitan would purchase Hammerstein's Philadelphia opera house for $1,200,000.

Holiday party, Asso., Miner's, tonight.

PSORIASIS ON LEGS, ARMS AND HEAD

Also Back. Would Itch Something Awful and Crack Open. In Morning Bed Full of Scales. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

34 Dudley St., Long Branch, N. Y.—"The psoriasis began with an itching and when I would scratch it, it would burn. I had this for years. It first started with places about the size of a pin-head and then they would keep getting bigger all the time until they reached the size of a half-dollar. If I did not scratch them they would itch something awful and would crack open and bleed. If I would scratch them they would bleed and burn. The first place it would appear would be on the elbows and shins. I remember when I was a small boy it used to come out on my legs then go away and come back again. I had it on my head so badly that I was ashamed to take my hat off anywhere. I even had it coming out on my face. I had the psoriasis on my legs, arms, back and head; there were very few places that I did not have it. I would go to bed at night and in the morning when I would get up the bed would be full of scales.

"I tried several treatments but to no good. They said there was no cure for it. I picked up a paper one day and saw about Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I tried them. I would wash with Cuticura Soap in the morning and after washing I would put the Cuticura Ointment on and I would do the same thing at night before going to bed. I got relief from the start. Now I am cured." (Signed) Jack Miller, July 1, 1913.

Cuticura Soap 25c. and Cuticura Ointment 50c. are sold everywhere. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

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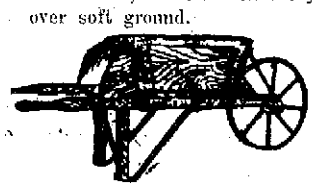

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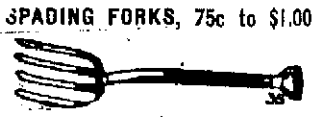

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AMONG THE TOILERS

Jack Demarais is still visiting Dracut street.

The Misses Condon and Carney have returned to work at the Talbot mills.

John O'Neil of the Plumbers' union has moved back to Centralville.

Patrick Sheridan of the Heinze Electric Co. is some comedian.

Miss Lillian Hubbard is the life of the knitting room at the Lawrence hosiery.

Miss Mildred Lawson of the Mohair Plush Co. is spending her spare time taking a commercial course.

Willie Welsh received his Polish neckties for the lowest score in the Y. M. C. I. league.

Harold Wilde of the T. & S. office appeared in his new spring hat Thursday morning.

Dora Ward of the Tremont & Suffolk was selling Herschey's chocolates for charity last week.

Cupid is very busy in the loading room at the P. S. Cartridge shop. Who's next, girls?

The superintendent of the Lowell Felt Co., Mr. Irving Libby, is a busy young man these days.

Miss Florence Bridgeford is now employed at Silesia mills in North Chelmsford.

Organizer Young of the Machinists union left for Providence yesterday on business.

As Monday will be a legal holiday all the mills will close and the operatives will have a chance to rest.

Mr. Daniel Owens has returned to work at the Merrimack mills after a long siege of illness.

Joseph Taft, a prominent young electrician is now employed in the Massachusetts mills store room.

Employes of the velvet room at the Merrimack mills will hold a dance some time this month.

Miss Margaret Conroy has returned to her bench in the Bigelow Carpet mills after a week's illness

Mary and Ella McQuaid of the Ipswich hosiery will spend Patriots' day in Boston.

Miss Etta McPherson, an estimable young woman employed at the Lawrence hosiery, has a prosperous Larkin Soap club in running order.

Miss Mamie Carroll, a talented young lady in the employ of the Boott mills, is taking lessons in dramatic art.

Mr. Leo Murphy of the Bigelow Carpet Co.'s designing room will spend the holidays with his sister in Clinton, Mass.

Miss E. Brissette of the Tremont & Suffolk winding room is organizing a ladies' bowling team to roll the Tar Babies.

The T. & S. bowling team deserves much credit for its excellent work and we hope that McDermott will be captain next year.

Mr. Joseph Wilkes, the prominent bowler of the Bigelow Carpet league, will spend a few days in Worcester with his brother.

Mr. William Caveney, one of the Pony club's famous athletes, greatly enjoys his new position with the Heinze Electric Co.

Alonzo Wyman has taken out an application for a chauffeur's license. He is a popular employe of the Tremont & Suffolk blanket room.

Mr. Thos. Gibbons, chief engineer at the Tremont & Suffolk mills has tendered his resignation to take effect May 1.

Martin Dacey has left the Bigelow Carpet Co. to assume his duties as "chef" at a Norumbega park dining room.

Mr. Thomas Vaughn until recently employed at the Lamson Store Service Co. has accepted a position with the Boston & Maine car shops.

The many friends of Miss Lena Sheehan will be pained to learn that she was taken quite ill Thursday morning while at her work in the Lawrence hosiery.

Miss Agnes Handley, employed in the warp room at the Merrimack mills, is some hand when it comes to preparing salads. The members of the camp know.

Misses Louise Curtis, Sadie Sullivan, May O'Donnell, Gladys Anderson and Nellie O'Donnell made a jolly party in one of the local suburbs Wednesday evening.

William McQuaid, until recently employed at the Boott mills, leaves on Tuesday for Connecticut, where he has been engaged as a steam engineer in a large industry.

The Chickasaw club, a popular club of young men of the Tremont and Suffolk mills, are making preparations for their two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

Fred Boulger, an energetic employe of the Massachusetts mills, will sever his connection with that concern Saturday noon. He has been offered a more lucrative position out of town.

The American Mason Safety Tread Co of Perry St. are to be congratulated upon having such an experienced young man as Mr. Lawrence Marlin in their floor laying department.

The friends of Mr. Daniel Guneiman, well known secondhand in the shipping department of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, will be pleased to hear that he is convalescing after a severe attack of grip.

The Talbot mills of North Billerica closed Friday evening and will remain closed until Tuesday. The spinning and carding departments have been running nights to make up for the time that will be lost. The company has considerable orders on hand.

John Armistead, the popular runner in the Tremont & Suffolk office, has severed connection with the office and has accepted a position as an apprentice machinist in the same mill. He will assume his new duties Tuesday morning.

Mr. Gibbons has been connected with the Tremont & Suffolk mills for the past eight years and has a wide knowledge of engineering.

He is held in high esteem by his superiors and all of those connected with him in mill circles.

A prominent labor leader told the story this morning of a local young man who went to Boston to take a boiler examination. He was called into a private room and the first question the examiner asked of him was: What would you do the first thing in the morning on going into the boiler room?" The young man's answer was: "I'd look around to see if any son-of-gun stole my overalls." He was told he could try again in 90 days.

The Tremont & Suffolk bowling team will roll the White Ways for the City's championship and a side bet of $50. Best two out of three games. One game on the White Ways alleys. One on the Crescent and the third on neutral alleys.

These are the terms and if Capt. Cole of the White Ways does not accept, it will show clearly that he fears the T. & S. quintet who are the White Ways' only rivals in the city for the championship.

This offer stands good till Thursday night and if Capt. Cole wishes to show his sporting blood he will accept it.

YOUR CHILD'S SIGHT

Should be a most important consideration. Many children are handicapped in school or subjected to petty nervous or physical ills by the effects of imperfect vision.

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The Bachelor Girls

These employes of the Lawrence hosiery otherwise known as the "Bachelor Girls" will be the attraction at Keith's theatre, Sunday afternoon and evening. The members of this popular club are: Lena Shea, Marion Nolan, Florence Nolan, Jennie Wynne, Anna McCale, Etta Finnegan, Rose Nicholson, Mary Boyle, Madeline Boland, Julia Boland, Mary King, Kittie King, Katherine Malone, May Gallagher and Lillian McPherson. Miss Lillian McPherson is the leading soprano in the cast and possesses a fine voice.

J. W. W. Meeting Tonight

Joseph H. Downer, of Lawrence, well known in I. W. W. circles, announces that he will hold a mass meeting at city hall steps, this city, at 8 o'clock this evening, for the purpose of discussing the recent cut-down at the Tremont & Suffolk mills. Mr. Downer states that on Thursday evening eight employes of the Tremont & Suffolk were organized as members of the I. W. W. and have asked for a charter.

Fred Tenney a Shoemaker

Fred Tenney of Georgetown, Mass., former first baseman of the Boston National league baseball team and a few years ago manager of the Lowell club in the New England league, is to become a shoe manufacturer in Maine if the board of trade in South Paris will hearken to a proposition put to it by Mr. Tenney and Henry Spinney of Lynn. Negotiations have been pending for some time and will come to a head within a few days, it is expected, whereby the town of Paris will erect a factory 40x150 feet, one story high and exempt it from taxes for a stated period. The firm, it is reported, will turn out about 110 dozen a day and employ 200 people.

St. Ry. Employes

The regular meeting of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes of America was called to order at 8.30 last evening by President Sweeney. The roll call of officers showed the financial secretary, Michael McGrehan absent on account of illness. After all business was transacted by the body two new members, Thomas Malone and John Murphy, were received into the association.

It was voted to change the meeting nights from the first Friday of the month to the first and third Tuesday.

There was also a discussion on wage questions by the different members. Vice President Edward Tucke, Sr., John Garland, Edward B. O'Brien, John Scully and John McDowell addressed the meeting.

Cotton Spinners

The cotton spinners met in their hall in Middle street last evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Denis Reardon; vice president, Joseph Lachappelle; secretary treasurer, J. R. Aston; sergeant-at-arms, Henry Sigman. Much business was transacted and the members elected a committee on arrangements for the "smoker" that will be held in their rooms on next Monday afternoon in commemoration of the founding of the organization which was March 3, 1890. They also appropriated $50 for this purpose. The union then voted $50 to the Pawtuxet Valley union who are out on strike. This money is in addition to a $30 assessment which they pay weekly. Remarks were made by prominent members. The newly elected president is a man of marked personality and a hard worker for the Cotton Spinners' union.

New Bedford Weavers

In this column a few days ago appeared a call for a meeting of the New Bedford weavers' union in which the New Bedford mills were threatened with labor trouble unless certain conditions were changed. The meeting was held this week and the New Bedford Times, reporting it, says:

"For a meeting which was heralded by such an extraordinary call as that which President Tom Thornley and Secretary Francis J. Duffy, Jr., issued last Friday night, the regular session of the Weavers' Protective association in Labor Temple last night was a comparatively tame affair and little outside of routine business was transacted.

Acting on the recommendation made by the committee to which the rules of the textile council was referred a few weeks ago for study, the union formally voted to re-enter that body and President Thornley, Secretary Duffy and two other members were named as delegates.

Not much was said about the grievances referred to in the communication accompanying the call. Secretary Duffy reported that one of the grievances has been satisfactorily adjusted with the manufacturer and that settlements are pending in other cases.

The union adopted a resolution asking that a representative of the Weavers' union be placed on the state board of labor and industries to which John Golden of Fall River has been appointed, because it is claimed by them that more laws relating to the weaving departments of the textile industry are enacted in this state than for any other branch of the industry."

Suit Against Shoe Workers

The petitioners finished their case yesterday with the exception of some documentary evidence which is to be prepared in the equity suit of the Hodgdon-Durand Shoe company of Salem vs. the United Shoe Workers of America which is being heard before Judge D. W. Quill as master at Salem, says the Beverly Times.

"The evidence yesterday was from John Riley, a cutter, who came from Haverhill after the strike was ordered to work in the Hodgdon-Durand factory. He has been a member of the Boot and Shoe Workers union 10 or 12 years, and is a big, husky fellow and said that the first night when he came out from work a crowd blockaded the sidewalk and when he pushed them aside ten or a dozen jumped on him, and, while he got a black eye and a swollen ear he 'did the best he could' A couple of nights later he started out with West, and a crowd of 150 to 200 followed them. He heard some one say get the big husky, and turned around and saw Meagher in the crowd and some one hit West over the head with a club—he did not see the blow but heard the club fall on the sidewalk and picked it up and saw a man running away. He admitted he was a little scared, but returned to work the next day although he had been followed by the crowd to his lodging place and they had talked of killing. He had seen Anna Guy in the vicinity of the factory and she had called scab.

"On cross examination, witness was asked if he would run away from a fight today and replied, 'Not so you would notice it.' Asked if he didn't swagger back and forth on Canal street with his corncob pipe in his mouth, he laughed and said he didn't need a permit to smoke on the street. Wasn't you looking for trouble? No. Haven't you gone around asking if anybody wanted to take anything out of a scab? No.

"Witness said he belonged to the local 181 in Haverhill, having been transferred from Brockton last fall, and was in good standing."

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THE MAN IN THE MOON

The disinterested patronizer of basketball and baseball games and even concerts and other forms of entertainment must be forcibly struck by the unpleasant fact that too often he becomes the victim of fakes and fakerism. He has good reasons for believing that certain games of basketball or baseball he has witnessed are frame-ups pure and simple; and it is certainly a painful experience he undergoes when, having given up his quarter or a half he is obliged to endure two or three hours of exhibitions a really good amateur would feel ashamed to be associated with. Often we attend entertainments simply to help out a worthy object, and are prepared for what we receive; but it occasionally happens, as it has happened to the Man in the Moon rather recently you pay fully anticipating a genuine treat, yet it is not long before you know you have been stung.

I know it is not the proper thing to criticise local productions of this nature. You know how the newspaper reports of this or that concert or entertainment always are—so laudatory to the instrumentalist, singer or actor, that really Harold Bauer, Kreisler, Madame Homer, McCormack, Mrs. Fiske or Warfield have little on the local stars. So thickly do the reporters honeyize their write-ups of everything of this kind that real merit is seldom distinguished. This, and worse, is generally the effect of over-indulgence in lauding indifferent amateurs and professional bluffs of colossal pretensions and nerve of which latter Lowell has a few. I would not have merit unrecognized nor would I withhold praise where deserved, but the Man in the Moon respectfully suggests to his imaginative fellow journalists that artists, musicians, baseball players and other species are not made at the desks of the newspaper offices.

I recall an incident which occurred in this city several years ago, when a young man of pale countenance and long hair put something over on several persons. This young man, a piano player of very modest parts, by dint of fake newspaper testimonials which told of his great accomplishments as a pianist, worked up quite an interest in the "recital" he was to give. The program he was to perform as advertised was worthy of Paderewski himself. These who gave up their dollar were made to listen to some piano playing which was the veriest rot. It is safe to say that a mere impulsive audience would have stale-egged the long haired young man from the stage. But it didn't; and the pianist did pocket the dollars and forgot to pay for the hall. He also forgot to pay the printers. A few years later he was arrested for alleged burglary. Somehow or other he escaped punishment and disappeared from local scenes.

Fake Concert

I have cited an extreme case of fakerism. Fakes and fakerism differ only in degree. Not so long ago I gave up 50 cents and attended a concert which consisted of 19 or 20 numbers or 2 1-2 cents per number. Advertised to begin at 8 o'clock, it finally started at 8.35. I listened to some poor amateur piano playing and to an orchestra which was announced as "second to none," and, believe me, I stood it as long as I could and then made my escape. I listened to the head-liner, a great opera singer, sing wretchedly a single little song from a popular opera, wretchedly accompanied on a wretched piano. The song called for little or no dramatic antics and just why the great singer raised both hands above his head as he ended I couldn't comprehend. I think, however, he wished to remind the audience that it was now time for their vociferous applause.

Reading in a morning paper the report of this concert, I learned that it was really one of the finest we ever enjoyed. Nuff sed.

Waterways Unguarded

Former Commissioner Harry W. J. Howe, who usually thoroughly investigates a matter before he expresses himself, has once more told us in a letter to this paper of the death of a child caused by negligence in affording adequate protection by way of fencing the brook into which the child fell. Mr. Howe has at other times sought to arouse the public to demand that effective measures be taken to lessen the danger of fatal accidents of this character, but he has met with but little or no encouragement. Former Councilman Coughlin endeavored several years ago to do something, but further than placing here and there some life-saving devices which have been permitted to become useless, nothing was done. The politicians smiled, because, probably, they saw no promise of graft in the proposition; and while public attention has been called to these death-traps since the new charter arrived, the powers that have been and are, have evidently considered it, if considered at all, beneath their august notice.

Meanwhile the death traps continue to exist, and as records would conclusively show, have done a thriving business. They exist along waterways controlled by the Locks and Canals company, the Wannesit Power Co., in places where the city of Lowell has jurisdiction and in suburban ledge holes owned by private individuals. Of course drowning accidents will continue to occur, but that the number of such accidents among irresponsible and adventuresome children could be greatly lessened by the simple safeguarding of dangerous places goes without question. Yet nothing is done. One might think that the life of a child was nothing; or if but a child of the poor, hardly of sufficient importance to receive consideration from the hands of great capitalists and exalted public servants.

Noted Pianist

Mr. Pasquale Fallarino, the young pianist who gave a recital in Colonial hall last February and in which he made so favorable an impression has been the guest of his friend, Carl Mason at the latter's home in Fourth avenue, this week. Mr. Fallarino was accompanied by Paul Mason, the illustrator, both coming from Wilton, N. H., where they have studios. They attended the concert given by the Haydn quartet in the Worthen Street Baptist church on Wednesday evening. Mr. Fallarino made many friends in Lowell upon his recent appearance here, and they will be interested to learn that he contemplates giving another recital here next season. Paul Mason, a Lowell boy and a graduate of our high school, has made excellent progress in his painting and composition work during the winter past, his work exciting much favorable comment among Boston artists and publishers, the latter having accepted much of his work and given commissions for more. This will please his Lowell friends.

Clocks That Keep Time

Notwithstanding the fact that clocks are among the most common and every day objects we encounter, they have afforded themes for poets and give object lessons in mechanics and philosophy. Longfellow has given us a poetic picture of the life of a clock, and everybody knows the lines about "My Grandfather's Clock was too tall for the shelf so it stood 90 years on the floor, etc." Some old clocks in homes and situated away up in church belfrys and town house towers are venerable objects that we would not part with at any cost. Just as Daniel Webster at Bunker Hill addressed the revolutionary veterans as "Venerable men!" we thus could fitly refer to many old clocks. "Venerable clocks," ticking away the time between our birth and death, the nearest human device to perpetual motion, the faithful recorder of the hours with its eternal "Forever—never. Never—forever."

There's no gainsaying the usefulness of clocks—when they are running correctly. But when they don't run at all or don't run right, of course they are worse than no clocks at all. Now the big clock in city hall tower is all right. It's a good clock—a great piece of mechanism. It is usually on time. About every office in the city building is ornamented with a clock and some cost more than others. My attention has been called to the fact that no two of them keep the same time. Go into one office and you observe it is 10.30, another will show 10.15 and so on, all recording different time. One or two of them aren't going at all and haven't for weeks. How does anybody expect to see a business administration of city affairs, when the city hall people can't have their clocks running correctly? How, indeed!

The Old Time Promenade

The days have long since gone when I of a Saturday or Sunday evening used to join the promenaders between Towers corner and Huntington hall. If any engage in this inspiring pastime nowadays, they make up an entirely new set of young men and women. Since the old days there have taken place some changes between the points mentioned—the two important ones being the creation of Palmer street and the disappearance of the old Hamilton wall. For new buildings along that time-honored route since that time we have the Bradley building, Central block, the Middlesex Trust company and the Y. M. C. A. building, wretchedly located, but withal a building of parts and of fine appointments. Several buildings have been remodeled, among them being Wyman's Exchange, the old city hall building, Tyler's block and the old Lowell Inn, which will soon blossom forth as the "Harrisonia." There still stand several more that that could well stand great improvement. Still the young men and women walk these sidewalks, yet I fancy the practice is not of the proportions it once was. The many cheap show places which have sprung up within the past few years no doubt draw many young people away from that old time custom of walking back and forth on the two main thoroughfares of the city.

The Weather

It is not a pleasant thing to say a word in disparagement of the usually bright, yet fickle month of April; but we are obliged to admit that her sunny skies have thus far been all too few, and her rainy, blustering blizzardly days all too many. This weather coming in this Easter week when we hoped for bright opportunities to unload some of the accumulated piety and regain lost physical vigor is particularly depressing. It obstructs. Think of singing—but you just can't—in the face of these April blizzards, that old song we used to sing:

"'Tis a welcome, welcome April shower
Which will make—will make—the sweet May flower."

THE MAN IN THE MOON.

Miner's best, Associate, tonight.

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We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors, who by their kind acts and words of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings endeavored to lighten our great sorrow in the death of our dear son and brother.

(Signed)
Mr. Robert W. Proctor and Family.

Anniversary Announcement

Two years ago today the Broadway Wholesale Millinery Company, founded on the basis of selling to the consumer at the same price as to the milliner, came into existence in Lowell. From a modest beginning the company has grown steadily until now it is a mecca for milliners and individual purchasers in this vicinity.

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$1.68

Did you ever buy at wholesale? It cannot seem possible that you have overlooked this chance. Our prices are WHOLESALE, first, last and always. One visit will convince. You will come with your friends the next time.

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For this Anniversary Sale, three hundred new shapes have been received from Boston and New York headquarters. Each and every one of these will go at wholesale, beginning tomorrow morning at 8.30 o'clock. This is your chance to take advantage of one of the biggest sales of the year.

FLOWERS

The craze for flower trimming is still on. To meet the heavy demand we have ordered and received countless dozens, affording a remarkable variety for selection. Ask to have any of the designs placed on a shape to get the effect.

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ROBERT N. TURNER, LABOR COMMISSIONER, TO HAND IN HIS RESIGNATION

BOSTON, April 18.—Robert N. Turner, of Waltham, who since August last has been labor commissioner of the state, will today hand his resignation to the new board of labor and industries, which on Wednesday was confirmed by the council.

Mr. Turner made this announcement yesterday to certain of his friends in the legislature.

His comment was, he felt this would be the best way out, and that he intended to return to his law practice.

It has been intimated in some quarters that one of the first acts of the new commission would be to see about his retirement from the board, but it appears he reached this decision some time ago.

He informed Gov. Walsh shortly after the selection of the new board that he intended to leave the service, so he is following out a line of action which he had previously mapped out.

Mr. Turner was chosen commissioner in the first instance after a sharp contest between himself and John Golden of Fall River, who is now a member of the board.

His salary is $5000 a year, but the commission has the right to pay up to $7500. It is reported that Golden may be appointed to the vacancy, in which case the governor would have to make a new selection to represent labor on the board.

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PATRIOTS DAY

It seems to be a fact—though a regrettable one—that as years pass on, special days set aside by the state are being regarded more and more as mere periods of rest from workday tasks, unrelated to the ancient deeds that give them their name and their significance. The people are as patriotic as ever and just as really devoted to the history and the ideals of their government as at any period in its history, but the annual recurrence of state holidays tends to remove from them their glamor, and unfortunately there are scores who, while they know that there will be a holiday on a certain date, cannot give the name of the holiday in question and have but a shadowy notion of what it commemorates.

The holiday which will be officially celebrated on Monday next is one that appeals especially to the young—and all Americans should feel young in dwelling on the facts of the great war of independence. Who is there that has not at some time played "Americans and British" when some convenient yard furnished a miniature Concord and Lexington, and sundry attics supplied the three-cornered hats and the other parts of the respective costumes of 1775? Surely in all the range of childish heroes no characters shine out with brighter attributes of loyalty, courage and transcendant patriotism than do the minutemen of Concord who paid back the soldiers of King George for many indignities suffered patiently, of which the attack on Captain Parker and his brave band on Lexington common was not the least. And where is the equal of Paul Revere, who in the imagination of our young patriots must always mount again to the Boston spire on April 19th, hang out his warning signal and then gallop madly through the surrounding country calling on the farmers to meet the British at Concord.

These things are long past and the echoes of the shot fired by "the embattled farmers" are silent, but the great American Union founded with such grim determination comes down to us unchanged in principle. Darker days than the days of 1775 at Concord and Lexington have come and gone; those who then fought against a common foe afterwards fought among themselves; times came when it was more difficult to tell who were the rebels and who were the enemy. But the flag which waved victoriously on April 19, 1775, has waved victoriously ever since and has not known defeat. We may deserve the accusation of being a nation of traders and merchants, in part, but we are not yet blind to the lessons of Concord and Lexington and we are readily thrilled by a recital of the deeds of those whom we honor on Patriots day.

From 1775 to 1914 seems a long time, but it is very short in the life of a nation. Generations have come and gone and the bones of Paul Revere have long ago crumbled to dust but the old church in Boston still stands as it stood when the warning light flashed out from its belfry, and one can easily recall the revolutionary days in the dreamy calm of Concord and Lexington. Not many years ago it was the custom for the heads of families to gather their children together and drive over the roads in the bracing spring air to the scene of the battles that ended by the retreat of the British to Charlestown neck, but the automobile, the moving picture craze, and possibly a less intense feeling of devotion to things patriotic, have injured this fine old custom, too good to be entirely abandoned. If there were no historic memories connected with the spots so eagerly visited in former years, the natural beauty of the scenery would amply repay a visit, but who is there that does not feel a better American after viewing the ground hallowed by the blood of those who fought for home and country and all things sacred in the glorious days of 1775. Concord visited and revisited should be the centre of a host if memories linked together by each succeeding Patriots day. And on Patriots day let it be remembered that Lowell has a special duty to perform in honoring the proto martyrs of the Civil war, the illustrous Ladd, Whitney and Taylor, who gave their lives on the streets of Baltimore on April 19. The bodies of two of these heroes are interred at Monument square and the memory of their heroism reflects credit on the name olf our beloved city.

A PRELIMINARY CLEAN-UP

Now that April 18, 19, and 20 have been set aside as a preliminary to the real clean-up week which will begin on May 2nd, there is no reason why all the citizens of Lowell should not co-operate in removing the source of much civic and private uncleanness and removing also many causes of contagion, incidentally aiding the work of fire prevention. Scarcely a home of the city but has its accumulation of winter rubbish in cellar, alleyway or attic, and no one would be the loser if this rubbish were collected for the next few days and piled up in the ash barrels or even beside them on the sidewalk for the city to remove and to dispose of. The readiness with which people respond to the preliminary invitation will typify the amount of good to be done by the following clean-up campaign, for the city can do absolutely nothing in this respect without the fullest co-operation among the citizens.

Though the greatest necessity for municipal activity in all that relates to cleanliness and general sanitation obtains in the more congested districts, the clean-up call cannot be ignored in any section. Sidewalks, alleys, yards, gardens, trees and shrubs call for attention in the best regulated neighborhoods and even the heart of the business section has many evidences of remediable neglect. There are many advertising signs, for instance, that have outlived their usefulness and that now offend by their rundown appearance. In other places the hose might be played with advantage.

The worst places are those nooks and crannies the care of which does not seem to be anybody's business, but which might easily give rise to diseases that would be everybody's business. Householders and property owners will find a thousand and one things to claim their attention if they set out, as they ought, to do their share in making Lowell a lovelier and a more healthful city. Let us be sure that Lowell is clean before we make any extravagant claims to beauty. The remedy is at hand. Let us avail outselves of it.

CROWDED STREET CARS

For the first time a bill is before the Massachusetts legislature aiming at the prevention of overcrowding in street cars by making it unlawful for the company to take on more passengers than 50 per cent. over their regular seating capacity. This would still leave room for a mild crush but it would do away with the sardine box conditions which have become a feature of street railway traffic on rainy days and when there is a double header on at the ball park. Indeed, on some lines overcrowding is the usual condition at certain hours daily such as in those evening hours when the workers are returning to their homes. The local officials of the Bay State company are making commendable efforts to remedy this condition, but so flagrant are conditions in some places that the passing of the above-mentioned bill or a similar one is fairly probable.

Though there is a limit to what street cars can comfortably carry and though this limit is frequently overtaxed there are many abuses regarding overcrowding in cars, for which the public is as much to blame as the transportation company. Who does not know the individual that persists in standing in the vestibule whether there are vacant seats or not? Others will stand just within the door, making regrettable conditions still more intolerable by ignoring the "move up front, please" of the conductor and making the life of the last addition to the jammed mass anything but pleasant. The company is confronted with many real problems of importance, but it cannot be blamed for many side issues of overcrowding which are due to the unreasonableness of the public. Nevertheless, the bill now in the legislature would tend to a public relief that is much needed in some quarters.

TAXING BACHELORS

Though the legislative committee on taxation did not dwell very seriously a few days ago on the proposal to tax all bachelors of the state over 35 years of age $5.00 annually, the proposed bill serves to call attention to the apparently growing number of young men who either deliberately choose a single lot in life or else postpone their marriage till long after the taxable age. Probably there is one reason which would apply to all equally, but the fact remains that the financial considerations of marriage are far harder to meet now than they were in the times of our grandfathers. Then, people were apt to regard the marriage day as the end of their times of frivolity; they settled down to save money and lived in the pleasures of their children. At present grandmothers are going to tango dances and there are few up-to-date wives who do not want to attend the theatre continually and who do not look forward to owning a new spring bonnet as eagerly as their unmarried neighbor. But some young men have grown selfish and there are not many of them willing to make the sacrifices that marriage would entail for most. A preacher gave another aspect of the case in a local church recently when he showed that many spend weekly in barrooms and pool rooms more than would establish them in married life, lamenting the while that they are not able to afford marriage. Taxation would not remedy matters but there are many bachelors who richly deserve it.

REGARDING TAX INCREASES

What other cities and other city officials think of increases in the tax rate of their respective communities differs quite considerably from the impression which the members of our present city government strive to give regarding the raise of $2.20 in the Lowell tax limit. Mayor Timothy W. Good of Cambridge who was a shouter for economy comes out in the strongest condemnation of a bill now in the legislature which would entail a raise of $1.33 in the tax rate of that city. He calls such a bill "suicidal," and says that such an increase in the tax rate would "kill" the city, both residentially and as a growing business centre. Evidently the new mayor of Cambridge does not consider a tax increase a necessary foundation for alleged municipal economy. His warning comes too late to be of much benefit to us but it emphasizes the fact that a low rate is one of the most desirable attributes of any city. On the contrary a high tax rate kills enterprise and brands the community bearing it with the stigma of inefficient government. With a tax rate of $22 or over real estate will be a drug on the market; every owner of tenement property will want to sell.

FIRING THE SALUTE

True to his craft and resourcefulnes Huerta now strives to gain time in the Mexican situation by parleying for conditions which this country certainly will not grant. His latest request is that the United States should alternate with Mexico in firing the salute to both flags, thus removing from the Mexican salute the appearance of the apology which this government intends it to be. Huerta evidently counts on the apparent indecision that made America over patient through past insults, but he presumes too far. All indications point to determination on the part of America which has taken the first step in what may lead to armed intervention if the brazen dictator of the south does not abandon his clever subterfuge. Huerta is playing with danger both at home and abroad and the time may not be far distant when he will need Vera Cruz and Tampico as ports of embarkation. Better that he should salute the Stars and Stripes at once than that he face a United States blockade with the rebels under Villa pressing at his heels with a desire to avenge Madero in their hearts.

The news of another apartment house fire in New York, with 11 deaths, following so speedily on the destruction of the Boston Melvin with its death toll of eight, should arouse the authorities in both cities and in all cities to the dangers of modern construction with its veneer and its shoddy and its evasion of building and fire laws.

One would not blame Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald, in view of the provocation he has received, if he launched out with more force against the "two lovely berries moulded on one stem." To blame the past for the faults of the present is an evident temptation to all officials, but fortunately most of them resist it.

Now that the park department is forced to abandon the West Centralville playgrounds, the people of that section will remember "what might have been" had the present government approved of the purchase of the river bank park which would have given the people there, old and young, a permanent park.

The store window displays in the principal Lowell streets make one wonder why some people still insist on going to Boston to make purchases. Not only have we the latest in style at home, but, just as important, we have the lowest in price.

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THE SPELLBINDER

These are happy days with the Middlesex county commissioners, I am told. All are republicans, but two hold to "settled conditions," and regard the third as a rank outsider, simply because they had nothing to say in the matter of his election. Chairman Gould of the commission recently referred to Mr. Barlow, the Lowell member of the triumverate, as the most persistent office-seeker he had ever known. It is evident that Uncle Levi's classical education didn't include the Odes of Horace, lest he would recall the celebrated lines: "Nosce te ipsum," which in plain United States means, "Know thyself." If Uncle Levi ever gets to know himself he'll become acquainted with a man who for persistency in seeking office has poor Barlow looking like a bush-leaguer. Mr. Gould has been in public life since 1865 and nothing daunted, he's going to run again this fall. But, among others, who believe that Mr. Gould having given about half a century of his valuable services to public life should be permitted to spend his declining days in luxurious ease, is one Major Fred P. Barnes of Newton. I don't know at what weight he fights, or whom he ever licked or where he got his title, but he's Major Barnes, and he's a republican born and bred, and not afraid to do battle with Uncle Levi. The progressives undoubtedly will have a candidate in the field again and with more hope than ever before the democrats will present a candidate. At this end of the county Hon. John T. Sparks, of this city is being talked up as the most likely democratic candidate but the popular ex-senator isn't any too favorably impressed with the idea at this writing. When actively in politics John T. had them all beaten as a vote-getter. In the other end of the county, the democrats are talking up Senator Charles F. McCarthy of Marlboro. Senator McCarthy is at present serving his third term in the senate after five years in the house. While in the house a few years ago he collaborated with Erson B. Barlow on the latter's famous corporation franchise tax-bill which eventually became law. It would seem that fate had a hand in the naming of the venerable county commissioner, for "Levi" of the new testament was a publican or tax-gatherer, or in other words an office-holder.

Ambulance Service

Just because the new pulmotor didn't answer the purpose for which it was invented upon the occasion of its first application in this city is no evidence that it is a worthless thing. Perhaps it was not applied until the victim of the accident was beyond human aid, as is often the case at the hospitals where people are brought while breathing their last with the expectation that the hospital authorities can perform miracles. But the pulmotor will never be of any great benefit to the community unless there is somebody around who can use it when it is needed. The Sun recently stated that City Physician Tighe had instructed the ambulance physicians in its use and since then it has been suggested to me that the city physician instruct the ambulance drivers in the use of the pulmotor, inasmuch as the drivers appear to be the surgeons in a majority of cases. Of course the pay of an ambulance surgeon is not such as to warrant him giving his entire time to the job, but with two such faithful men as Dr. Hicker and Dr. Pat Sullivan on the ambulance in days gone by, much is expected of their successors.

Society Feels Snubbed

I am informed that Tango Officer Clark was conspicuous by his absence at the dance in the armory a few evenings ago. To be sure the dance was not held back to await his coming nor were there any pronounced evidences of regret at his non-appearance. Society is disposed to be charitable and will overlook, this time, the snub offered it by the officer. But he should have been there for the dancing of Miss Cheney and Mr. Horr would have been a revelation and an education to him. Having seen the new dances properly executed he could pick out the improper ones more readily in the future. Probably he was peeved because he didn't get an invitation but when dances have been held at Associate, Lincoln or Runels' halls he didn't wait for an invitation, but was always a feature of the merry occasions. It's hardly fair for officer Clark to snub the society dances. Can he have so soon forgotten the slogan of the head of his department: "Equal rights to all; special privileges to none?" Society dancers are as much entitled to the charm of his presence as are those of humbler station. I understand that Officer Clark is much pleased with his assistant "Chief" Cooney, on the ground that the "chief" is of more graceful lines than Officer Swanwick and would make a better partner should occasion require them to give a public exhibition. "Chief" Cooney, by the way, is Officer Al. Cooney. "Chief" is simply a nickname given him by Belvidere friends, and does not imply that the officer has any aspirations toward the "Big Chief's" job.

The Sealer's Position

Warren Riordan has been kept busy all week receiving congratulations from his friends on his election as sealer of weights and measures while Assistant Sealer Nestor has been kept equally busy receiving the condolences of his friends together with expressions of sympathy from men who previously have not the pleasure of his acquaintance but who believe that the position, from a moral standpoint belonged to him. The civil service commission has informed the city of Lowell that the position does not come under the civil service law and hence the election of Mr. Riordan was all right from a legal standpoint. But it doesn't seem to fit under the "Equal rights for all; special privileges for none" unwritten law of this administration. One would imagine that a man who had served some eight years faithfully and competently as a first assistant should be promoted to fill the place left vacant by the death of the chief and the new and inexperienced man placed in the lower position and allowed to work up. Here's the funny part of the thing: If the municipal council had elected Mr. Nestor head of the department Mr. Riordan would be ineligible for the appointment as assistant, unless his name was on the civil service list. But while ineligible to hold the smaller job he is eligible to the greater, and Mr. Nestor, who was obliged to pass a civil service examination before he could get the job at all, after having passed and then added the experience of several years' steady work to his knowledge of the requirments of this particular department finds himself barred by another unwritten law popularly expressed in the words: "To the victors belong the spoils." In Washington a distinguished statesman once remarked: "What's the constitution among friends." By the same token, where do experience and faithful service it in political jobs?

Paul Hannagan Street Builder

Somebody in Lawrence once told me the following yarn about Paul Hannagan, the popular street commissioner of that burg: Paul was at a dinner and had been consuming oysters, soup entrees and roasts with all the vim of a man blessed with a good appetite and an easy conscience when the waiter approached him and said: "What would you like for dessert, Mr. Hannagan?" "Dessert? Oh, yes," said Paul, "bring me some corned beef and cabbage, please." Now this may not be true. It may be possible that Paul called for pig's head, or spare ribs, instead of corned beef or it may be that it never happened at all, but however, it is illustrative of Paul's career. After hustling for many years on jobs that have paid comparatively modest wages, along comes Mayor Curley from Boston at this late day, offering him a $4000 per year berth. If Paul decides to take the job, I, for one will gamble that he'll make good. But what strikes us queer here in Lowell are the stories that have been published about the street work in Lawrence and Mayor Curley's delight upon inspecting the block paving of that city. One would imagine that Lawrence was the only city in New England to use block paving with a cement base and concrete filling. Lowell has been using the same kind of paving for many moons, and with due respect to the Lawrence street builders, it did not originate with Paul Hannagan, Phil Holland, Chester Hudson, Billy White or even John Sheehan. Had we known that Mayor Curley wanted to learn something about street paving we could have invited him to Lowell where we have humble street department foremen who can teach our down-river neighbors the art of building streets. For instance, there's old John Bowers, but why enumerate them. Curley might come up and get them away from us and then Lowell would be the loser.

While Mr. Hannagan is not the originator of the smooth block paving scheme he is both an inventor and a discoverer. He invented the Hannagan gutter plow, the Hannagan catch-basin and the Hannagan tip-cart while he discovered Ballardvale Lithia water and evidences of prehistoric lakes in the vicinity of Den Rock, at Lawrence.

That reminds me, Phil Holland was in town a day or so ago and called upon Commissioner Morse. Phil, it is understood, wanted to sell some paving blocks to the city, but Charlie is not in the market at the present time.

Putnam Slated to Remain

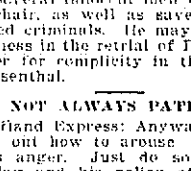
From all accounts the flurry relative to the discontinuance of the services of Supt. of Streets Putnam has blown over and Newell will continue to hold down the job. Supt. Putnam, it is said, had a champion in a well known physician who, it is said, has succeeded in convincing some of the members of the municipal council that he should be retained.

New Faces in Health Dept.

If new brooms continue to sweep clean the health department stables should look spick and span these days, as a couple of changes have been made there recently. Ex-Alderman Jas. J. Flanagan, a leading figure in the recent municipal campaign and subsequently mentioned for the positions of private secretary to the mayor, and purchasing agent, like the prospective minister to Dahomey, in Hoyt's celebrated satire, is at last permanently placed as an employe of health department stable while Andrew Welch, another ardent supporter of the mayor, is reported to have accepted a position at the Broadway institution. All members of the health department are still working under their old pay schedule as the promised advance could not be made, owing to the city's present financial condition.

The Edson School Principalship

The Edson school is still without a principal because Dr. Lambert and Mr. Simpson cannot find a candidate to their particular liking. When the matter was first considered these two members asked for more time to consider "the qualifications of the candidates" and as time has gone by there is considerable speculation and not a little suspicion as to the particular "qualification" that they desire. There are two candidates in the field, Hon. John F. Meehan, an A. M. and a native of Lowell, and Christopher J. Hagan, also possessed of the necessary educational qualifications, a native of Lowell and with a record of one year's excellent work while acting principal at the same school in which the vacancy now exists. In the good old days when the late Marcellus Fletcher was with us, he knew the name, address and political affiliation of every voter in Lowell and in picking them out from the check-lists at headquarters, in addition to his "John Smith, democrat, John Jones, republican" he had a third designation which he applied to certain voters who were partisans with one reservation. Some people are wondering if any of the members of the present school board come under that third designation.



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Vocalists at City Hall

An out-of-town friend recently called my attention to the fact that Lowell's city hall is particularly well-fixed for vocalists, if it does not burn up the carpets with its oratory. He's right, too, and we are particularly strong on baritones for where is there a combination to excell Commissioner Donnelly, Building Inspector Frank Connor, City Auditor Paige and Clerk Bruce of the supply department. I have been informed also that Commissioner Brown has taken to singing and not long since was heard warbling "The Rosary" in a manner that would make Schumann-Heinke herself sit up and take notice. (I suppose you thought I was going to say "cyanide." Not so.) As "The Rosary" is one of my favorites I would have paid good money for a ring-side seat to hear the commissioner sing it. But speaking of singers at city hall, the variety of voices may be added to next year for the friends of John J. Dalton, Lowell's matchless tenor are grooming him as a candidate for commissioner next fall. Of course election times are a long ways off but there is nothing like an early start.

A Good City Job

While at lunch in a down town restaurant yesterday, I overheard the following:

"I see ——— ——— has landed a good city job."

"What doing?"

"Floor-walker at the cemetery."

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

THE GUNMEN

Newport News: One of the witnesses in the gunmen case who testified before Justice Goff last Saturday has already acknowledged himself a perjurer and confessed that he knew nothing of the shooting. His testimony—if corroborated, would have sent several innocent men to the electric chair, as well as saved the condemned criminals. He may be held as a witness in the retrial of Police Lieut. Becker for complicity in the shooting of Rosenthal.

NOT ALWAYS PATIENT

Portland Express: Anyway, we have found out how to arouse the president's anger. Just do something to the flag and his policy of "watchful waiting" gives way to "a rigid firmness and fixed determination not to temporize."

OWNERS AND DRIVERS

New Bedford Standard: The attempt to hold the owner of an automobile responsible for any injury caused by his car, regardless of who is operating it at the time of the accident, or whether or not he is in the car, or whether or not it was operated by his permission, is so obviously beyond the line of justice and right, that it is not at all surprising that the supreme court of the United States has pronounced unconstitutional the law of Michigan, that held automobile owners liable to this extent.

EXEMPTION AND SUBSIDY

Fall River News: Whether or not Secretary Bryan explains in a satisfactory way how it happened that the Baltimore platform had a plank in favor of tolls exemption, he shows that the plank against ship subsidies was there and that that plank was in full accord with ancient democratic doctrine. It follows that President Wilson could not shape his policy according to both planks. They were radically inconsistent with one another. The president could not stand on both. One had to be ignored and he chose to disregard that one which was obnoxious to the treaty agreement.

AMERICAN CULTURE

Lynn Item: Anybody who has noticed the coming of English professors to this country in recent years will recognize that in coming to Princeton Alfred Noyes but follows the tide which is setting irresistibly in this direction. Culture may be little understood in the United States but we do pay living salaries to the men who can deliver the goods in almost any line.

THE DANGER

Burlington Free Press: President Wilson has caused it to be known that he will not act without authorization by congress, but it is possible for the administration to push matters so far as to prevent our nation from retiring with dignity without resorting to hostilities. That is the chief danger which confronts the United States at the present time.

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LADY LOOKABOUT

With the lovely inconsistency which has been her own ever since the smiling, blushing Eve was presented in the Garden of Eden, to the smitten Adam whom she soon had under her thumb, woman rushes blindly, happily, from one fashion to another, staying with each only long enough to get the effect, when she is up again and off. Perhaps the one of all others who suffers most from this everlasting search for the unattainable, is poor man (I am sure it must be a man) who writes the full page advertisements in the large Sunday papers. The poor man's descriptive adjectives are exhausted long before he has warmed to his subject and in some cases the result is pitiable. I have been reading the advertisement of one of Boston's foremost ladies' furnishing houses, and really, I have never felt such compassion for anyone as I do for the man who wrote it. I am copying directly for you, two samples of his work which show the desperate condition he must have been in while gown after gown clamored for recognition.

"Crepe de chine blouse, trimmed Frenchily back and front. It has a Medici collar of lace, a standaway silk collar, a lace cape collar and a tasselled black silk cord—all on the same neck."

Wouldn't you know a man wrote it. Listen to this one: "The newer dresses sport an apron, not a housewifely apron—dear, no! It is made of the same material as the dress itself—sometimes it feels so much at home that the dress has an apron in back as well as in front—which settles it once for all that the apron is there for effect."

High Heels and Bad Sidewalks

It is a good thing for the exchequer of our city that low heels are, at the present time, the vogue in women's foot-wear. Should the high heel, discarded not so very long ago, suddenly return to favor, there would be so many suits against the city for damages resulting from defective sidewalks, that I am afraid city hall would have to be closed. Really, there are several places in the city where the condition of the sidewalks is a menace to public safety, and high heels or low, the wonder is that more accidents do not occur. Perhaps the spot that has impressed itself most deeply on most of us, is the patch of sidewalk directly in front of the new Y. M. C. A. building on Merrimack street. It would remind one of the rocky road to Dublin, and is it not a wonder that the young men would tolerate such at their very doors! This is only one spot. Others may be found in Gorham street, Central street and East Merrimack street. Already, one case for damages against the city is pending and when the sidewalks are in their present condition, it is hard to see how the city can offer any reasonable defence.

The Boston Hotel Calamity

That dreadful fire in the Allston apartment hotel has roused the authorities to a new activity in inspecting buildings and strengthening the fire laws. The pity is that no one seems to be aware of the danger from this source until a community has been visited by such a calamity. Then after the horse has been stolen, so to speak, the stable door is locked. Here in Lowell, the insurance companies keep after property owners in pretty good shape, but even with all their vigilance, sometimes they accomplish but half their duty. I have in mind a story, the truth of which I can vouch for. One of our largest furnishing houses had increased its floor space and added much new merchandise. The proprietor called in the agent of the insurance company he patronizes, to arrange for increasing the amount on his policy. The company refused to sanction an increase until the proprietor had installed a sprinkler system in his store. At the expense of much money, time and annoyance, this was finally accomplished, and the insurance increased to the satisfaction of all parties concerned. Eight years later, the proprietor again enlarged his quarters. When it came to extending the sprinkler service, plumbers went into the basement to turn the water off and drain the system, and, what do you think? In all those eight years the water had never been turned on in the sprinkler system! Yet the insurance company had done its duty when it refused to insure until its demands had been complied with, and the proprietor had acceded to the demands of the insurance company. Who was to blame? Fortunately, no fire had occurred, or there would have been much ado in investigating the cause and placing the blame. There can be no doubt that many disastrous fires occur from causes equally as absurd as the one I have cited.

Film Historical Records

The city of Paris has started an innovation, supported by city funds, which promises to become a valuable part of her story when the present generation has passed away. The feature consists in perpetualing by means of films, historical occurrences that take place from time to time. These films are to be protected and cherished as valuable documents, and it is needless to comment upon their value to future generations. Imagine, if you can, how we would prize a film depicting Washington crossing the Delaware, the signing of the Declaration of Independence; or perhaps some of the battles of the Civil war. They would be of untold value to our country, yet no movement has been made here to preserve authentic representations of historical events in this country.

To be sure, such films have been seen. We all have seen famous personages depicted in various acts of historical prominence, but these were prepared by firms who prepare films in which dramatic situations occur, frequently to the entire ignoring of features of actual historical value, because of the absence of the dramatic.

To Straighten Up

If the American Posture league, recently founded in New York City, accomplishes its object, the present day gait known as the di Milo slouch, with its drooping shoulders, hollow chests and protruding stomachs, will soon be relegated to the background. This society, which includes among its directors, many of the leading surgeons and physicians of the country, has for its object, the correcting of the postures of the American people. The league is working to have proper seats put in schools, shops and other places where present seats are conducive to unhealthful attitudes. The league makes recommendations to street car manufacturers, and already the new Brooklyn Rapid Transit subway cars are being constructed in accordance with its suggestions. It is the intention of the league to establish branches in various cities, and it would seem that right here in Lowell would offer a good field, as physical instruction is not featured here except in the high school.

The Horrors of War

It is with a feeling of great thanks we learn that there is actually little danger of war with Mexico. If more of us would put some thought on to the actual horrors of warfare, we would be much more ready to uphold President Wilson in not rushing the country headlong into war and bloodshed, notwithstanding the almost hysterical shrieking of some of our sensational newspapers. I am appending a copy of the worn original of a letter in the Confederate museum at Richmond, Va. The contributor who sends the copy to the New York Times, from which I am taking it, asks if those Americans who are urging the appeal to arms in quelling Mexican disorders realize the cost, and suggests a reading of the letters of those who in the past have engaged in warfare:

Spottsylvania County, Va., —, 1864.

Dear Father—This is my last letter to you. I went into battle this evening as courier for Gen. Heth. I have been struck by a piece of shell and my right shoulder is horribly mangled, and I know death is inevitable. I am very weak, but I write to you because I know you will be delighted to read a word from your dying son. I know death is near, that I will die far from home and friends of my early youth, but I have friends here, too, who are kind to me. My friend, Fairfax, will write you at my request and give you the particulars of my death. My grave will be marked so that you may visit it if you desire to do so, but (it) is optional with you whether you will let my remains rest here or in Mississippi. I would like to rest in the graveyard with my dear mother and brothers, but it is a matter of minor importance. Let us all try to reunite in Heaven. I pray my God to forgive my sins, and I feel that His promises are true and that He will forgive me and save me. Give my love to all my friends. My strength fails me. My horse and my equipments will be left for you. Again a long farewell to you. May we meet in Heaven. Your dying son.

J. R. Montgomery.

City Dumps as Playgrounds

From time to time we hear the suggestion that the city dumps be used for playgrounds during the summer months. It is hard to believe that this suggestion can possibly come from the sources ascribed to it, to wit: persons of undoubted intelligence and education. Within a short time, I have read of a study of city dumps in Chicago by a principal of a school assisted by one of his teachers. They found the dump made up of refuse of all kinds, including street sweepings, mattresses and feather beds, dead animals,—cats, dogs, rats and so on, bottles of medicine, and a thousand and one things actually breathing infection. And yet there are those in this enlightened age who seriously recommend these dumps as playgrounds for our children, breathing places for babies and their mothers, sleeping places, perhaps, for the poor on hot summer nights.

Lowell has succeeded in advertising herself far and wide as a poor city, yet I do not believe she has reached the stage where she will turn her children into the city dumps, aggregations of contamination, and by calling these places playgrounds, put an end to the demand in some sections of these very necessary adjuncts of city life.

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DRESSY SUITS—

Shepherd checks, tango and Copenhagen crepes, trimmed with taffeta silk, both skirt and coat..... **$18.50**

NEW SHEPHERD CHECK COATS—

Three-quarter length coats with the new flareback and kimono sleeves—a coat that is surely an $18.00 value..... **$5.95**

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LOWELL SPRINGFIELD

GALLIVAN TAKES OATH

AS CONGRESSMAN FROM 12TH DISTRICT—ARRIVED TOO LATE TO GET HIS SEEDS

WASHINGTON, April 18.—A congressman expects to begin having trouble soon after he takes the oath of office, but Congressman-elect James A. Gallivan of Boston has struck it already, all on account of the famous annual free distribution of seed by the government.

Just before he resigned his seat in the house Mayor Curley received his usual lot of applicants for seed. In replying to the requests he announced that his successor would receive for distribution all the seed the 12th district was entitled to.

Upon his arrival here Mr. Gallivan found that under the law the seeds which were to have gone to Mr. Curley on April 1 had been turned back to the Department of Agriculture. Inasmuch as there was no member of congress from the 12th Massachusetts district at the time no seed was put aside to be held until such time as one would be elected.

Consequently Mr. Gallivan has hundreds of applications but no seed. He will have to wait until the first of next April before he can begin to supply the demand.

Another thing that came along to worry Mr. Gallivan was the announcement by officials of the house of representatives' postoffice that 1500 letters addressed to Mr. Gallivan here had been sent to Boston yesterday. Mr. Gallivan thought he had got his correspondence fairly well cleaned up.

Mr. Gallivan called at the capitol yesterday afternoon, but was too late to take the oath of office, which is always administered at the beginning of the day's proceedings. The report got out that Mr. Gallivan did not wish to take the oath yesterday because it was Friday. This Mr. Gallivan denied. He will take the oath today.

Miner's Best, Associate, tonight

OXFORD RELAY TEAM HERE

REPRESENTATIVES OF ENGLISH COLLEGE VISIT HARVARD AND INSPECT BUILDINGS

BOSTON, April 18—The champion Oxford relay team said to be the fastest aggregation of milers that ever represented an English college, spent yesterday afternoon at Harvard, sightseeing, dining and training. They were the guests of the Varsity club.

The team, comprising four members and a substitute, arrived in Boston yesterday at noon, were whisked to the Varsity club, where a dinner had been arranged in their honor, and were then taken for a tour of the Harvard grounds, after which they were brought to Soldiers field for a workout that was watched with interest by hundreds of students and followers of athletics.

This team will represent Oxford in the Penn relay carnival at Philadelphia next Saturday. It is composed of Capt. Arnold N. S. Jackson, David N. Gausson, George M. Sproule and Norman Taber the former Brown university athlete who is now a Rhodes scholar at Oxford. Gilbert S. Robinson is the substitute.

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GOVERNOR'S DAUGHTER

WINS SUIT—VERMONT EXECUTIVE TESTIFIES IN BEHALF OF HIS DAUGHTER

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 18—Mrs. Mary Fletcher Charlton, daughter of Allen M. Fletcher, governor of Vermont, was granted a divorce from Dr. Frederick R. Charlton by Judge Remster in the circuit court yesterday afternoon.

Gov. Fletcher accompanied his daughter from his home in Proctorsville, Vt., and testified in her behalf. Mrs. Charlton was granted a divorce on her cross-complaint.

Dr. Charlton did not appear in court and no evidence was introduced to sustain his side of the case. Mrs. Charlton was granted the custody of their child.

WILLIE RITCHIE WON

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, won a decision over "Harlem Tommy" Murphy in a 30-round fight here last night. Nearly every round was easily Ritchie's, but Murphy's ability to stand punishment astounded the crowd.

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THEY DO SAY

That the open cars are with us again.

That Joe Wood is a bear for work.

That the Lowell Greek population is rapidly increasing.

That Buck Sharkey would look good to the Lowell fans this season.

That Blanche didn't wear her white stockings since that rainy night.

That people with claims against the city are besieging city hall.

That a Highlands young lady was giving away eggs last Saturday night.

That A. T. thought that Durant street was located in Dracut Centre.

That when boys scramble for pennies every little movement has a meaning all its own.

That while a great deal is being said about economy the only place to find it is in the dictionary.

That city teamsters who delight in blocking electric cars should be given a lay-off.

That everything would be all right if we would spend a little less than we earn.

That the Bachelor club made a great hit with their comedy "The Benedicts," last night.

That the A. G. Pollard clerks held one of the prettiest post-Lenten parties of the season this week.

That the Y. M. C. A. bowlers gathered last night for the last time this year.

That Huerta has the consolation of having stirred up a hornet's nest without getting stung.

That the janitors' banquet at the American House Tuesday night will be some event.

That one of the Bloomer girls says the English sparrows are a lot of little ingrates.

That birds of a feather don't always flock together. Witness the sparrow and the dove.

That the girl with the flounces was the centre of attraction in Merrimack Square.

That a girl at city hall refused to tell how long she had been employed there.

That Court Officer Burns and "Billy" Rourke pulled off a pretty good wrestling match the other day.

That the fellow who spends $3 a week on baseball pools is reducing his salary or wages just that much.

That Arthur Giroux caused many surprises Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

That the Shawlights will have some time at their dancing party on Thursday night.

That the girls are all jealous of Delphine since she purchased that Parisian creation.

That Henry Carr came all the way from New York to attend that whist party Tuesday night.

That Long Bill, the Westford street car conductor, is going to buy a rule book and learn how to play cribbage.

That a young boomfixer employed at the U. S. Bunting Co. will join the benedicts soon.

That there's one less boxer in town, while the mystery of the lunch cart is still unsolved.

That Phinney Boyle and Gardner Brooks are the two coming mill artists of Lowell.

That the dressmakers are working overtime on creations for the coming party in aid of St. John's hospital.

That everybody with a new auto will make the trip to Concord and Lexington on Monday.

That John A. Quinn is a young man foremost in many a worthy undertaking.

That the Mass. K. of C. dinner at the Copley-Plaza tonight will be a brilliant affair.

That Rev. Dr. Kelcher gave President Carey of the M. T. I. a pretty compliment the other evening.

That Pres. Daniel F. Reilly of Div. 8, A. O. H., says the banquet of the division next week will be a fine affair.

That Andrew Welch was the right man for the reception committee at the Mathew ball.

That it's no cinch to be mayor of New York when they'll try to hustle you into eternity.

That a few loads of cinders on the Maple street sidewalk may avoid many law suits against the city.

That the party of St. Margaret's parish to be held Monday evening, will be a very enjoyable social affair.

That the Pawtucketville girl was sorry it didn't rain Easter Sunday because she wanted to use her new umbrella.

That Charles Lirette, the 69-year-old trapper would make a valuable member for the Lowell Fish and Game association.

That St. Joseph's college alumni scored a tremendous success with its recent dramatic entertainment for the benefit of St. Jean Baptiste church.

That the Centralville young lady who was in the habit of saying "Now listen" has changed and at present says "Look now."

That if Henry Carr could see the boys playing ball in the streets of lower Belvidere he would turn his attention to that section of the city.

That Building Inspector Frank Connor can sing a lullaby fully as well as he can warble "The River Shannon" or any of his many song hits.

That the row in Commissioner Morse's office Thursday morning penetrated to the school department office on the next floor.

That a Belvidere liquor dealer closed his place of business for a couple of hours on Good Friday afternoon, and went to church. Strange, but absolutely true.

That Jimmie "Gallagher" Shea is still receiving compliments on his line Hood and Ayer window displays. James, like the goods he has been exploiting, was also "made in Lowell."

That those whose circumstances didn't permit new finery for Easter are quietly laughing at those who are still waiting for an opportunity to don theirs.

That a certain young lady enjoyed that auto ride last Sunday night despite the fact that the wind was blowing at the rate of about eighty miles an hour.

That Congressman Rogers tripping the light fantastic at the Mathew ball, reminds one that that is the way ex-Mayor Fitzgerald made such a success of politics at the Hub.

That Lowell fans at the opening game in Boston allow that the irrepressible John F. Fitzgerald overshadowed the present mayor by many yards.

That many a young man in the good old days threw up good U. S. currency for an apology for a dinner for himself and his fair friend, at Old Concord.

That Congressman Rogers knew that anything he might say about "Fighting Jack" Barry of the American navy would "go big" with any Lowell audience.

That when the letters are being changed on the large electric sign over the Chalifoux store, a large crowd gathers in the vicinity, for the work is very interesting.

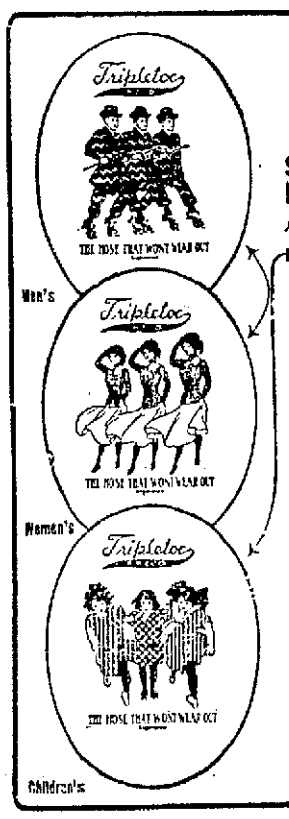
That the days when bicycles and all other kinds of vehicles made the pilgrimage to Concord and Lexington on Patriots day are passed. The advent of the electric cars has robbed the trip of much of its romantic interest.

That "Jack" Shea, of the Concord Drug company is exceedingly proud of the receipt of a portrait of himself, enlarged from a snap-shot by a traveling artist. It is certainly a work of art. Insist upon seeing it if you happen in there.

That the new pulmotor while located at the police station will not be used to revive drunks. The old fashioned slap on the sole of the foot is considered equally effective and much cheaper than the application of oxygen.

That Letter-Carrier Dave Martin, during his leisure hours, is preparing a program for the concert of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception church which is to take place next week, and David assures his friends that he will provide a musical feast.

That the report that Henry H. Harris is to be elected superintendent of schools, Arthur K. Whitcomb transferred to the Varnum school and either Hugh J. Molloy, John F. Meehan or Christopher J. Hagan given the two vacant places has leaked through the inner circles in the school board.



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Mushrooms.....50c lb.
Endive.....30c lb.
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Wax Beans.....20c and 25c
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AMUSEMENT NOTES

THE OPERA HOUSE

Enthusiastic audiences placed the stamp of approval on the third installment of the "Zingo" series at the Opera House yesterday. "Zingo" is admitted to be one of the strangest characters that has ever appeared upon the screen in this city. His hair-breadth escapes will keep your nerves on edge one minute and the next minute he has you screaming with his funny antics. Such novel scenes and settings, such thrills and humor never before were portrayed in any photoplay. The story of the third part shows "Zingo" in Asia where he has the most thrilling adventure of his career. He has the audacity to enter the royal harem of the king of Siam and steal the sacred white elephant. Then follows one adventure after another until he finally returns the sacred elephant to the king and after a big reception by royalty and the populace, he is rewarded rich treasures for his noble work. Don't fail to see "Zingo" and the white elephant at the Opera House today, as you will enjoy the story.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A breath from grand opera will be wafted from the stage of the B. F. Keith theatre next week when the Imperial Opera company of 14 excellent singers will give "Great Moments from Grand Opera." This is in reality three of the most noted scenes from three different operas, "Carmen," "Faust" and "Il Trovatore." The collection of singers was brought together for a season in New York city, several of them having completed engagements at South American and American opera houses. But so successful were the singers that, at the expiration of their New York contract, they were immediately re-engaged for a tour of the Keith theatres throughout the east. Mme. Rose Doure, an Italian soprano, who has only recently finished a long engagemnet at the Opera House in Buenos Ayres, Argentina, will be the particular star of the production, singing "Leonora" in "Il Trovatore" and "Marguerite" in Gounod's "Faust." In "Trovatore," the fourth act will be shown, wherein "Leonora" and "Manrico" will sing the beautiful "Miserere," followed by the "Vivra," sung by "Leonora" and the "Count Di Luna." The church scene from "Faust" with the scene between "Marguerite" and "Mephistopheles," will be given, followed by the famous trio from the concluding scene of the opera. "Carmen" offers especial attractions because of the unusual story and through its brilliant trappings. The tavern scene, wherein "Carmen" sings the "Seguidilla" and "Escamillo" the "Toreador's" song will be shown. This will conclude with the famous quintet, "We Have a Plan." The excerpts from the three operas will be shown with complete costume and scenic accessories. The orchestra will be augmented. In view of the recently awakened deep interest in operatic productions, this act should draw large crowds to the theatre throughout the week. It will appeal to many persons who are not rated as vaudeville goers.

"The Lie That Jack Built" is the newest farce comedy sketch from the pen of Georgia Earle, formerly press agent for the Keith enterprises in New York. It hits upon an entirely new idea, that of a jilted woman forcing a bachelor who is about to wed another to construct an elaborate fabric of lies in order to cover up his tracks. He is very ingenious in his work, but that strange intuition which women possess enables her to puncture all of his tales. In the end he marries and goes on his honeymoon, while the former sweetheart then bares her treatment of him, and tells how she has made him show himself in the light of a very wise person, who can be very easily fooled. The cast presenting this comedy consists of Misses Campion and Morrey and Messrs. Spencer and Radcliffe, all of whom have recently appeared in successful Broadway productions.

Arthur Whitelaw, one of the best known of conversational comedians and a rapid fire joker, cannot fail to tickle his audiences. Whitelaw is every whit as well known as is Frank Fogarty, the Dublin minstrel. Whitelaw serves delicious comedy in a perfectly simple manner. In presence he captures an audience from the start. He should prove one of the telling hits of the entire bill.

Lowell and Esther Drew will offer their own concoction, "In a Drug Store," which is a mixture of likeable talk and dancing, and Ord Bohanan and Lillian Seville—the latter having appeared here at the opening of the present season—have their own act called "Don't Advertise," which is rich with singing features. Emilie Egoma is a beautiful-singing comedienne, and the bill will open with Froebel & Ruge, comedy ladder performers. As usual the Pathe Weekly will be shown.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening the Bachelor Girls, 40 in number, a local singing organization, will give their new 1914 Song Revue, under the direction of James F. Rourke. Their work will prove effective, for the young women have incorporated new features. Other acts will also appear.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"The Only Son," a wonderfully interesting creation from the pen of Winchell Smith, author of "The Fortune Hunter," and other well known successes, will be the presentation by the Merrimack Square Theatre Players for the week commencing Monday, April 20, with a matinee. No better stock production has been given before a Lowell audience in years than next week's offering at the Merrimack Square Theatre. The author has provided a story that grips from the very outset and holds interest until the closing scenes. It is a wholesome story of the great love of a boy for his mother; of a father's love for his son and family; and finally of the love of the parents for their child. The story centres around the Brainerd family. Thomas Brainerd is a New York millionaire, who worked up from the ranks. He enters protests against the son's action in not showing ambition to do something worth while, instead of living in luxury. On top of this he suspects his wife of some trivial matter and the outcome of it all results in his ordering the wife from the house. His daughter stands with him, but the son sides in with the mother and they leave the home together. The latter go west and later when the father makes an endeavor to purchase some wonderful invention from a firm he finds that his son is one of the part owners. The meeting of father and son brings about a reuniting of the family and the curtain goes down on a happy scene. The play has many little sidelights that add to the great enjoyment of the piece, while the touch of humor to it balances well. Walter Scott Weeks and Miss Gladys Malvern will appear to advantage in the leading characters and are sure to again score heavily, while their support from the remaining members of the cast will be in keeping with the high standard of the past. Get your seats for Monday's performances. If you don't, you will miss the best seats.

Sunday's sacred concerts will be given Sunday afternoon and night.

THE OWL THEATRE

"Pauline" was there with the goods at the Owl yesterday, and she narrowly escaped from the deep-dyed villain; he still pursues her; curses! ah! but her noble lover shall always come to the rescue, at least for one year, then the exhibitor doesn't care what becomes of Pauline after that. Are you one of the many trying to win that thousand dollar prize? Well, all you have to do is to guess the riddle of each of these series. "The Mutual Girl," Pathe Weekly, Keystone comedy, all on the same program; five others. Don't miss the big show Sunday, a fine program has been chosen.

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MAN ATTACKS DETECTIVE

Mayor Mitchel's Sleuth Badly Battered by Angry Husband —Police Whistles and Screams

NEW YORK, April 17.—Two men, fighting, rolled about the first floor hall of the Buckingham palace apartment house at No. 547 West 147th street at 8 o'clock last night, and the battle aroused tenants to high excitement.

Police whistles and screams brought Patrolman John Roach of the West 152d street station. When he arrived he found Detective John J. Phelan, attached to Mayor Mitchel's office, getting much the worst of a fight. George Darling, a salesman of No. 501 West 168th street, was on top of Phelan, holding him down on the floor.

Standing near the fighters was Mrs. Darling, close to hysteria. Roach, with difficulty, parted the men.

"So you will interfere in my domestic affairs, will you?" demanded Darling, as he flicked dust from his sleeves and arranged his necktie. "You will, will you?"

"I want this man arrested for assault," said the much mussed up Phelan. "He attacked me without cause."

Phelan, who wore his shield and had his revolver, did not explain why he did not arrest Darling himself. Roach took Darling to the West 152d street police station, Phelan going with them. Darling said to the lieutenant at the desk:

"On two occasions I have been arrested by this man on charges of non-support preferred by my wife. Mrs. Darling and I have patched up all our differences and are most happy. To-night I had an engagement to meet her at the home of Mrs. Morris, on the second floor of the Buckingham.

"When I entered the front hall of the house and was waiting for the elevator I was surprised to see his man Phelan talking to my wife in the rear of the hall. I demanded to know what he meant by speaking to her, and he grabbed me by the collar. Then I fought him and made it so hot he couldn't get his revolver. That's my entire story."

Due to Old Grudge, He Said

"I wasn't talking to his wife," spoke up Phelan. "I didn't know she was in the house. I went to the house to call on a friend and was leaving when, near the street door, this man came in and slammed me on the head with an umbrella. I have arrested him and he's got it in for me because of that."

"I am an aunt of Mrs. Darling," said Mrs. Morris. "I know nothing about the domestic troubles of the Darlings, nor do I know anything about this fight. I know they have two very fine children. My niece came here this afternoon at 1 o'clock to visit me, and stayed until about 4.30. Then she left. I did not know that Mr. Darling expected to meet her here."

Phelan was made a detective a few days after Mayor Mitchel took office and was assigned to duty at city hall.

THAT FISHWAY

Simon B. Harris Says the State Commission Should Restore it

Simon B. Harris still holds to the opinion that the state fish and game commission should see to it that the fishway at Pawtucket falls is restored. Mr. Harris has been seeking an opportunity to thrash this matter out with the fish and game commission, but was unable to attend the last meeting of the Lowell Fish and Game association at which Commissioners Field and Adams were present.

These two commissioners allowed that the restoration of the fishway would be a useless expenditure of money inasmuch as salmon and shad have disappeared from the Merrimack river. This statement, Mr. Harris allows, may be all right as far as it goes, but it doesn't cover the law.

Mr. Harris calls attention to the fact that as far back as 1866 there was inaugurated a law concerning the obstruction to the passage of fish in the Connecticut and Merrimack rivers and Mr. Harris brings that law right up to date. He says that it is the duty of the state commission to have the fishway at Pawtucketville restored and there isn't any way of getting away from it. The Locks & Canals should be made to rebuild the fishway and then, perhaps, salmon and shad would reappear in the Merrimack.

There is some doubt as to the existence of a fishway at Pawtucket falls. It is a well known fact, however, that a fishway was once established there, but it seems that it was never properly recorded and that, viewed from the point of law, it doesn't exist. Some years ago a young man was arraigned in police court for taking fish from the Merrimack river within a shorter distance than that prescribed by law. Counsel for the defendant argued that there wasn't any fishway at the falls and asked the government to produce the record. The government was unable to produce the record. The court, however, imposed a fine and the case was appealed. The case was argued in the superior court and was thrown out because of the failure of the prosecution to produce any official records concerning the establishment of a fishway.

NORMAL SCHOOL

Will Receive $17,000 for Repairs — Textile School Resolve

The resolve carrying with it $17,000 for repairs to the state normal school in this city will go to the senate next week as it has already passed the house. It has the endorsement of the committee on education and the committee on ways and means and it looks as if it would have smooth sailing.

Things don't look so bright, however, for the $60,000 textile school resolve which is still in the arms of the educational committee. This matter is supposed to cover a period of 10 years, the school trustees to raise a stipulated amount during that time. It is stated that the legislature does not look upon this matter very favorably because of the fact that this is a bad financial year for the state and it seems to be in the wind, too, that the state should have greater supervision over textile schools.

E. D. TALFORD RESIGNS

QUITS POSITION IN NORTH CHELMSFORD TO ACCEPT POSITION IN HOOKSETT, N. H.

Eugene D. Talford, superintendent of the Lowell Textile Co. in North Chelmsford, has resigned his position and accepted that of superintendent of the Dundee mill at Hooksett, N. H.

Mr. Talford has managed the North Chelmsford plant of the Lowell Textile Co. for the past ten years, and his departure from that plant, where he had become a popular official, will be greatly felt by the many employes.

The Dundee mill is a large linen and towel manufacturing plant and with a superintendent of Mr. Talford's experience and knowledge in this particular line of work it will prove a large factor in supplying the linen trade.

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Stock Market Closing Prices, April 17th

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NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	74⅝	73⅛	73½
Am Can	28¼	25	25¾
Am Can pfd	91½	89¼	89¼
Am Car & Fn	49½	49⅛	49⅛
Am Cot Oil	41	41	41
Am Hide & L pf	21¼	21¼	21¼
Am Locomo	31¼	30½	30½
Am Loco pf	99	99	99
Am Smelt & R	67¼	66	66⅛
Am Smelt & R pf	101¾	101¾	101¾
Anaconda	34¼	34⅛	34¼
Atchison	96⅝	96	96
Atch pf	100	100	100
Balt & Ohio	89	88⅛	88⅝
Br Rap Tran	91¼	90½	90½
Canadian Pa	201¼	200⅛	200⅛
Cent Leather	36⅛	34¾	35
Ches & Ohio	53⅜	52⅛	52¼
Col Fuel	29½	29	29
Consol Gas	130½	130	130⅛
Del & Hud	150	150	150
Den & Rio G	12	11¼	11¼
Den & R G pf	22	19¾	19¾
Dis Secur Co	15⅞	15⅜	15⅜
Erie	29	27⅞	28
Erie 1st pf	45	44¼	44¼
Erie 2d pf	37½	37⅜	37⅜
Gen Elec	144¾	144¾	144¾
Gt North pf	122¾	121⅞	121⅞
Gt N Ore ctf	31½	32½	32½
Int Met Com	14¾	14½	14½
Int Met pf	61¼	60½	60½
Int Paper pf	35	34¼	34¼
Iowa Cen pf	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Kan City So	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
Kan & Texas	16	15½	15⅝
Lehigh Valley	141	134	135
Louis & Nash	135¾	135½	135¾
Missouri Pa	24½	18½	18⅞
N Y Central	88¼	87⅛	87½
Nor & West	103½	103¼	103¼
No Am Co	75¾	75¾	75¾
North Pacific	110¾	119⅞	109⅞
Ont & West	26	26	26
Pennsylvania	110⅛	109¾	109¾
Pressed Steel	42¼	42	42
Reading	163⅝	162⅞	162⅞
Rep Iron & S	22¾	22¼	22⅞
Rep I & S pf	83½	83	83
Rock Is	3½	3¼	3¼
Rock Is pf	5½	5	5
St Paul	99	97⅞	98½
So Pacific	92⅝	91½	91⅝
Southern Ry	24⅞	24⅛	24⅛
Southern Ry pf	80	80	80
Tenn Copper	33¾	33⅛	33¼
Texas Pac	14¼	13⅝	13⅝
Third Ave	42½	41⅞	41⅞
Union Pacific	153⅛	153⅛	153⅞
Union Pac pf	82½	82½	82½
U S Rub	58¼	57⅝	57⅝
U S Steel	59⅛	58	58¼
U S Steel pf	109½	109	109
U S Steel 5s	102⅝	102½	102⅝
Utah Copper	56¼	55	55¼
Wab R R pf	4¾	4¾	4¾
Westinghouse	73½	72½	72½
Western Un	61½	61⅜	61⅜
Wh & L rie	4	4	4

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, April 17.—Alaska was again the center of speculation on the local exchange today, reaching 27 7-8 in the first hour. Granby was active and lower, while other stocks were dull and unchanged.

COTTON FUTURES

	Opening	Close
May	12.58	12.54
July	12.35	12.30
August	12.06	12.14
October	11.63	11.64
December	11.60	11.61

MURDER CHARGE

Stepfather of Mrs. Ethel Cummings Arrested After Funeral

NORWAY, Me., April 17.—William Adams, charged with the alleged murder of his young step-daughter, Mrs. Ethel Morse Cummings, at his farmhouse in Albany, Tuesday afternoon, was arrested today immediately after the girl's funeral, held in a little school house opposite the Albany town house. He will be brought here for a preliminary hearing before Judge W. S. Jones of the municipal court.

Adams is about 45 years old. His stepdaughter was 17, and the wife of Sherman Cummings of Groveton, Vt., to whom she was married over a year ago.

It was stated today that Sergeant John B. Crowley of the police department was improving, slowly but surely, and that he would in all probability be able to be out and about in two or three weeks.

DEMAND AT THE OPENING

IMPROVEMENT CONTINUED AND TRADING WAS ACTIVE--LEHIGH VALLEY DROPPED 7 POINTS

NEW YORK, April 17.—The improvement in the stock market which set in late yesterday continued at the opening late today. Higher prices for American stocks in London gave the initial impulse but the gains made abroad were soon outstripped here. There was a good demand for all classes of stocks and trading was active. Southern Pacific, St. Paul, Canadian Pacific, Westinghouse, Utah Copper, American Tobacco, and a number of other shares made advances of one to two points. Lehigh Valley, which has been conspicuously weak for some time was the only stock to show signs of heaviness. After opening fractionally higher it reached 1 1-4, falling to a parity with its recent low point.

Although the market was on a higher level most of the morning the movement was uncertain and irregular. Raiding operations, such as have been almost of daily occurrence for the last week were resumed with Lehigh Valley the particular object of attack. A sharp depression in that stock checked the early improvement but although initial gains were cancelled the market later resumed its upward swing and by noon prices had mounted again to the early level. Success of the bears in seeking out vulnerable points checked buying and the noon day rally was not vigorous. Missouri Pacific was especially susceptible to attack. It dropped four and one-quarter points.

The market closed weak. Demoralization of Lehigh Valley which dropped seven points, caused a rapid fall in other securities.

COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed 9. Middling Uplands 13.10. Middling Gulf 13.35. No sales.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston Elevated	182	182	182
Bos & Maine	43	42½	43
N Y & N H	69½	68½	69½
MINING			
Allouez	41	40½	40½
Arcadian	4⅛	4¼	4¼
Arizona Com	4¾	4½	4½
Cal & Arizona	67	66¼	66¾
Centennial	16½	16½	16½
Chino	40⅞	40⅝	40⅝
Copper Range	37½	37⅛	37⅛
E Butte	10¾	10⅝	10⅝
Franklin	5⅜	5⅛	5⅛
Granby	82	79¼	80
Greene-Cananea	35	35	35
Hancock	15¾	15¾	15¾
La Salle	6	4⅞	5
Mass	3⅞	3½	3½
Mayflower	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛
Mohawk	43½	43½	43½
Nevada	15	14¾	14¾
Nipissing	6⅝	6½	6⅝
North Butte	26¾	26¼	26½
Nu Lake	1½	1½	1½
Old Colony	4½	4⅛	4⅛
Osceola	77¾	77	77
Quincy	59	59	59
Ray Con	21¼	21	21
Superior	29	29	29
Superior & Boston	3	2	2
Tamarack	33	33	33
Trinity	3½	3½	3½
Utah Cons	10¾	10¾	10¾
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	120⅝	120½	120½
MISCELLANEOUS			
Mass Elec pf	60	59½	59½
Mass Gas	89¾	89¾	89¾
Mass Gas pf	92	91¾	92
United Fruit	159	158	158
United Sh M	44¾	55	55¼
Un Sh M pf	28½	28½	28½
UNLISTED SECURITIES			
Alaska Gold	28	27	27
Am Ag Chem pf	94¼	94¼	94¼
Butte & Superior	35¾	34½	34½
Island Creek Coal	49	48	48
Isle Royale	18¼	18	18
Miami Cop	23¾	23¼	23¼
Pond Creek	17½	17⅜	17⅜
Swift & Co	106½	106½	106½
U S Smelting	37	37	37
U S Smelting pf	47⅝	47½	47⅝
BONDS			
Am Tel & T 4s	89	89	89
do con 4½s	98½	98½	98½

JESSE POMEROY'S KNIFE

In Possession of Man Who Lived Beside Him — Boy Always Showed Thirst for Blood

The fact that a Lowell man, George W. Clark, has in his possession the first knife with which the notoriously bloodthirsty Jesse Pomeroy, now serving a life sentence in the Charlestown penitentiary, committed his first blood taking crime became known today and Mr. Clark, who lives at 76 Perry street, told the writer some interesting facts about Pomeroy and his early life.

"I went to school with Pomeroy and played with him," said Mr. Clark, "and in fact he lived just across the street from me in Charlestown. I have seen it stated that Pomeroy first manifested his thirst for blood in South Boston, but that isn't so. It was in Charlestown, and I have the knife with which he tortured two boys almost to the point of death. I took the knife from him after assisting in knocking him down and thumping him.

"The knife has a pearl handle and in one of the end rivets there is a miniature stereopticon view, the subject of which, I think, is Bunker Hill monument. The knife is in Boston together with other things that I have stored there.

Caught in the Act

"I was always suspicious of Pomeroy, but somehow or other he seemed to have a very healthy dread of me. He was about three years my senior but I could always handle him. He was not quarrelsome but he had some mean traits. Up to the time that I took the knife away from him, however, it never dawned upon me that he had murder in his heart. He was then about 10 years old and the incident is as fresh in my memory today as it was an hour after it occurred. It was back of Powder Horn hill in Charlestown. I was on my way to Revere beach for a swim and there were other boys with me. I think I could recall their names but that is not necessary. I had taken off my shoes and was carrying them under my arm. As I crossed a field I stubbed my toe and stopped to nurse it. While sitting in the field I heard cries coming from the direction of a creek not many yards away. I called to my companions and we investigated.

The Death Torture

"We arrived at the creek just in time to prevent Pomeroy from torturing two boys to death. They were much smaller than he. He had stripped them of their clothing and was dipping one fellow head-first in the creek when we hollered. The other little fellow was lying on the bank and his back was a mass of knife wounds. Pomeroy had inflicted several cuts on the bodies of both of the boys, but none of the cuts were necessarily dangerous. We all piled on Pomeroy and I remember that I was the first to hit him. We knocked him down and I took the knife away from him. Of course we had to attend to his victims, as they were bleeding from almost numberless wounds, and Pomeroy got away.

Was Not Punished

"The case was reported but Pomeroy was not sent away at that time. I played with him after that but, of course, we mistrusted him. I remember another time when a lot of us were in swimming, Pomeroy displayed his horrible thirst for blood. A pig fell from a piggery, run and came towards us. The animal had cut its own throat somehow and was dying when we pulled it ashore. We dressed and started for home, and after going a little way we noticed that Pomeroy was not present although he had been swimming with us. Somebody suggested that we go around by the railroad track and see what he was doing. As we peeked around a building we saw Pomeroy carving the dead pig and there was a fiendish look in his face. He came towards us, however, instead of running away, and said he could not help doing what he had done. He said the thought of cutting the pig occurred to him the moment he saw it in the water."

Mr. Clark told all the details of the murder of Katie Curran and of Pomeroy's secreting the body in the cellar of the home of the girl's mother in South Boston. But this grusome story has been told and retold and Mr. Clark says he does not think that the other two incidents related here have ever been published.

MORE GREEKS COMING

The steamship Athenia of the Greek-American line, which was scheduled to land at New York yesterday, was delayed en route and did not throw its anchor until this morning. The ship carried 1200 first class passengers and 250 second class.

The immigrants are all coming from Greece and it is expected that at least 100 of them will come to Lowell, which is known as the Greek-American metropolis. Others are going west and many will settle at Nashua and Manchester, N. H. There are about 100 women in the party and it is believed that several of them will come to Lowell. Those coming to this city are expected here tomorrow morning.

ARREST FOR MURDER

EXPECTATION OF SEIZURE OF ALLEGED SLAYER DREW SCORES OF PEOPLE TO FUNERAL

NORWAY, Me., April 17.—With the expectation that an arrest for murder would be made at its conclusion scores of people gathered today in the little country schoolhouse at the cross roads opposite the Albany town house where a funeral service was held for Mrs. Ethel Cummings, the 17-year-old girl whose life was blotted out by a shotgun charge yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents at Albany.

The service was attended by the girl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Adams and her sister, Ivoreen, aged 14, A. P. Bassett, a coroner and state detective to whom a warrant returnable today was issued by Judge W. S. Jones of the Norway municipal court, also was among those assembled in the schoolhouse. He had specific instructions from County Attorney Dyer to serve the warrant this afternoon and was expected to make the arrest at the close of the service.

Rev. J. R. Little, pastor of the Universalist church at Bethel had charge of the service.

Miss Dolores Foster of North Billerica, accountant at the Talbot mills, will spend the holiday at her home in Groveton, N. H.

AGED HUNTER IN LOWELL

Speaks of His Experience in Alberta — Found Body of Man They Had Met

Charles Lirette of 179 Perkins street observed the 69th anniversary of his birth last month in the wilderness of Alberta, Canada, where he spent the past eight months hunting. Despite his advanced age the old hunter made a very successful trip and although he has been here but a few days, he is contemplating another trip in the woods for the early fall. During his long stay in the woods Mr. Lirette was accompanied by his son, Charles, Jr., a former resident of this city and now residing in Canada. The two hunters made a gruesome find in the woods when they came upon the body of a man named Gavin, whom they had met on their previous trip, and apparently the man had been dead for several months. They also found a letter written by the unfortunate man in which the deceased explained that he was dying from the effects of a disease known as black leg. A copy of his will was also found. The papers were turned over to the police officials of Derlingville, a small town in Alberta, while the remains of the dead man were buried in the woods.

CHARLES LIRETTE, SR.

Mr. Lirette in conversation with the writer said when he and his son entered the woods at Derlingville, he learned from the Indians that an old trapper was dead in the woods. They immediately set out to search for the body and it took the two men sixteen days before they located the body. It seems that Gavin, who was about fifty years of age went to the river bank to bathe his leg, when he was taken with a weak spell. Previous to that he had written a letter, as well as making out his will and the papers were found in his camp. Mr. Lirette had known the deceased for years and he said he was a clever trapper and lived practically all his life in the woods.

Mr. Lirette left Lowell last August and a few days later in company with his son he entered the woods and during his long stay in the wilderness he figures he has covered about 200 miles toward north. The pair of trappers caught six live fox, but they were able to keep but four, which they sold to fox raisers for $700. They value their catch in their last hunting trip at about $1500. Among the furs they sold in Canada were those of 75 fox, 60 minks, 50 lynxs, 4 otters and several small furs, as well as that of a wolf. Mr. Lirette relates how the wolf was caught. He said a band of wolves had been following them for over a day when the two trappers located near a small stream of water. The wolves then encircled the camp and were about to make an attack when they were located. A fire was immediately built and the smoke chased the hungry wolves away but one of them was shot before it goe very far. The fur was sold for $5 and besides the trappers received $10 from the government, a prize which is on every wolf caught.

The temperature in the woods from November to March varied from 30 to 60 below zero, but the men did not mind the cold at all. They were well clothed, and inasmuch as the weather was dry it had very little effect on the trappers. This is Mr. Lirette's third annual hunting trip to Alberta and next year he intends to go in another direction and hunt the beaver. The aged gentleman has done nothing but trapping and hunting for the past 40 years and he says he can earn enough in six months spent in the woods to keep him alive the whole year. Last year he brought his furs to this city and sold them to New York buyers, but he said this isn't a paying proposition and he will not do it again, for he can get more money for his catch at Derlingville, where the hunters are met by Canadian buyers, who relieve them right then and there of their load. He is the picture of health and feels none the worse for his long sojourn in the woods.

VETERAN ACTOR

Arthur McKee Rankin Former Manager of Nance O'Neil Dead

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—Arthur McKee Rankin, the veteran actor and for a time the manager of Nance O'Neil, of Lowell, Mass., died here.

CLIPS TO CLOSE WOUNDS

DR. LORTHIOIR DEMONSTRATES HIS METHOD TO VISITING SURGEONS AT N. Y. CONVENTION

NEW YORK, April 17.—The delegates to the congress of the International Surgical association let actual operations supersede technical discussion yesterday, the last day of the session.

An inspection of the Rockefeller Institute and Hospital for Medical Research was followed by a clinic at the Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled in East Forty-second street. Dr. Lorthioir, treasurer of the International association of Brussels, demontrated his method of treating hernia—a method which omits factors American surgeons have come to regard as essential.

In Dr. Lorthioir's method the exterior incisions are held together by what is known as the Mechelin clip, an aluminum clamp or filament which is dropped into place by means of an automatic feeding and clamping machine. The clips, like stitches, are removed when the condition of the wound so warrants. The clip is well known to American surgeons, the majority of whom believe their present mode of ligature to be the superior.

There were six cases at the clinic. Dr. Lorthioir operated on two, Dr. C. G. Burdick on two, and Drs. J. P. Hoguet and W. B. Coley on one each. Among the witnesses were the wives of the visiting surgeons. In Hoguet's demonstration of the Blake method of operating he was assisted by Dr. Richard Derby, Col. Roosevelt's son-in-law.

Dr. Lorthioir operated yesterday on children. He treats only children and is considered the leading specialist in his work in Belgium, where it is said he had used his method on five thousand youngsters.

About fifty of the surgeons left last night to visit Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Chicago.

SLASHING AFFRAY

Barber Attacked Assailant With Razor at Brockton

BROCKTON, April 17.—Following a slashing affray, Frank Barrelli, was arrested today while being etherized at the hospital to which he was followed by a trail of blood.

His adversary was employed in a barber shop, where the affray took place. When attacked, while shaving a customer, he defended himself with his razor so effectively that he inflicted a wound five inches long over Barrelli's right temple.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

COURT ORDERS SETTLEMENT

Shortly before the adjournment of superior court this afternoon the case of Hill and Hall vs. Henry Thayer & Co. of Cambridge was settled by order of the court. The plaintiffs asked for $15,000 damages each as a result of an accident on the defendant company's property in which both of their husbands were killed.

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11 PERISH IN N. Y. LODGING HOUSE FIRE

Flames Sweep Through Big Building—Fire Due to Carelessness, Say Officials—Blaze Started in Pile of Excelsior

NEW YORK, April 17.—Eleven persons lost their lives and four are in the hospital as the result of a fire that swept through the rooming house of Edward Enkes at 741 8th avenue, between 46th and 47th streets at 1 a. m. today.

Chief Kenlon says the blaze was due to gross carelessness, and is holding as material witnesses Enkes and his wife, Mary. The loss of life was due to the fact that the occupants of the house made a rush for the stairs instead of the fire escapes and found themselves cut off.

The dead are Edward Wallace, 46, who was ill in his room on the fifth floor; suffocated.

Nellie Wallec, his wife, 32; suffocated.

Mrs. Nellie Spencer, 28, a cloak model, whose husband is on the road; suffocated.

Muriel Davis, 4 years old, suffocated.

Mrs. George C. Davis, wife of an actor, who is on the road and mother of the dead girl, Muriel Davis.

Six men, burned beyond recognition

The injured are:

Joseph Messer, property man at the Hippodrome, suffering from serious burns.

Martin Welsh, burned about the face and hands.

Charles J. McNally, burned about the head and face.

Charles Burke, burned about the head and face.

All the injured are in Polyclinic hospital. Mrs. Davis died soon after reaching there. Others suffering from minor injuries were told to go to hospitals, but the police did not get their names.

The building at 741 is a five story brownstone structure, with a five and 10 cent store on the ground floor. On the other floors the Enkes' couple had 40 rooms which they rented, mainly to theatrical people, models and clerks.

Thrilling Rescue

The origin of the fire, from the investigation made by Chief Kenlon, was in excelsior and other highly inflammable material used for packing which was stored at the foot of the cellar stairs. Once it started the stairwell served as a flue and the flames went roaring up and spread out on every floor, finally going through the roof. The stairs were cut off within a few seconds, leaving the only exit by the fire escapes in the rear.

The fire was so swift that although Engine Company 54 and Truck 4 are within a stone's throw of the building when the firemen arrived they could not get into the hallways.

Capt. Daly of Truck 4 had 35-foot ladders run up, and ordered Firemen O'Connor and Mooney into a third floor window. In the first room they entered they found Joseph Messer helpless from burns and smoke. They carried him to the street and sent him away in an ambulance.

The spectacular feature of the fire was a rescue staged by Capt. Thomas W. Smith of engine 2. He and a squad of men were sent around into 301 West 46th street, the rear of which backs up to the rear of the burning building, the two being separated by an air and light shaft five feet wide and almost entirely walled in.

While they were trying to get a line of hose across this five-foot gap a man appeared in one of the smoke-filled rooms across the way. His window was on a level with that occupied by the firemen, but nine feet away. He seemed ready to jump and Capt. Smith shouted:

He ran back into the building and found a frail 10-foot stepladder which he put across the airshaft to the window from which the man was ready to jump, and told him to crawl over as the ladder would hold but one of them. The water was turned off so it would throw only a small stream and keep the flames off the man.

Two on Edge of Death

Smith then straddled the window sill and, with his right leg dangling 50 feet above the areaway told five men of engine 26 to hold on to his left and reached as far as he could for the creeping figure on the ladder.

Just as he clasped the man's hand the ladder broke and the man dropped, but Smith clung to him. The hose also fell to the areaway.

Great as his strength is, Smith could not lift the dangling man into the window. But for the five men holding to his leg, both he and the man he was trying to save would have plunged to the concrete. Finally the five firemen succeeded in dragging them both through the window.

The rescued man said he was Louis Herlin, aged 32, one of the roomers. He was slightly burned about the hips and was advised to go to a hospital, but the police have no record of him being treated at any of them, and he is believed to have gone to the home of friends. Capt. Smith's knee was so badly wrenched by the terrific strain of the man's weight he was ordered to quarters, where he was attended by Dr. Archer, a fire department surgeon.

MURDER CHARGE

Mrs. Mabel Scudder of Taunton Held Without Bail

TAUNTON, April 17.—After hearing the testimony of Deputy Chief of Police Cash and Medical Examiner C. A. Atwood, Judge F. E. Austin of the district court today held Mrs. Mabel Scudder, wife of Bradford H. Scudder, without bail on the charge of murdering her brother-in-law, Edgar C. Scudder, on April 13.

Mrs. Scudder was remanded to the Taunton jail to await the action of the Bristol county grand jury which meets at New Bedford, June 1.

Deputy Atwood described the body which he examined in the house soon after the shooting. He said that Mrs. Scudder talked freely regarding the shooting. The revolver, she said, belonged to Edgar Scudder, who loaned it to her husband.

The hearing occupied less than an hour during which Mrs. Scudder showed no concern.

MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty marriage took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Butcher, 27 Grace street, when the latter's sister, Miss Margaret Irene Chapman, and Mr. Frank Trull, two well known young people of this city, were married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends, the double ring service being used. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. Butcher, while the bridegroom was attended by his father. Little Miss Grace Butcher, a niece, acted as flower and ring girl and she was handsomely attired in a dress of blue crepe de chine with a blue picture hat. She carried a basket of sweet peas. The bride wore white crepe de chine trimmed with chantilly lace and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with evergreen, Easter lilies and palms. The wedding march was played by a sister of the bridegroom, Miss Ella Trull. The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a pretty string of pearl beads, while the flower girl received a pearl ring. The pianist was presented a Japanese ring. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held, during which a buffet luncheon was served. The happy couple, who were the recipients of numerous costly gifts, left on an evening train for New York. After June 1 they will be at home to their friends at 301 Mammoth road.

BEST BANKING LAW

NEW YORK LEADS ALL STATES IN THE UNION SAYS GOVERNOR GLYNN

ALBANY, N. Y., April 17.—"In my opinion New York now has the best banking law of any state in the Union," said Gov. Glynn yesterday in announcing his signing of the bill which radically revises the banking laws, and for the first time places private bankers under the jurisdiction of the superintendent of banks.

Under the provision of the new statute, state banks and trust companies are enabled to become members of the federal reserve bank to be located in New York; the state laws are made to conform in many respects with recent federal banking legislation; credit unions and a land bank may be formed to assist farmers in obtaining loans; small loan brokers are placed under more strict supervision, and the superintendent of banks is given broader powers to investigate violations of the law.

SUMMON COL. GOETHALS

CALLED BEFORE SENATE CANALS COMMITTEE TO TESTIFY ON TOLLS EXEMPTION

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Colonel George Goethals has been summoned before the senate canals committee to testify on the economic feature of the Panama tolls exemption for coastwise vessels. He is expected to favor repeal.

The colonel was asked to come at the request of Senator Simmons, but may not reach here before April 24, the date set for the closing of the hearings. In that event Senator Simmons will not ask for an extension of the hearings but will either request that Colonel Goethals' testimony be incorporated in the record or presented on the floor of the senate.

Sentiment was to be crystalizing in the committee today for an amendment to the Sims' repeal bill stipulating that the United States will give

DENY WEDDING POSTPONEMENT

NEW YORK, April 17.—No arrangements for the postponement of the wedding of Vincent Astor and Miss Helen Dinemore Huntington, set for April 30, have been made notwithstanding Mr. Astor's illness. This announcement was made at the Huntington country home today in contradiction of reports that the ceremony had been indefinitely postponed.

A postponement may yet be found expedient, however.

Mr. Astor spent a comfortable night and was pronounced "about the same" today.

HE MUST SETTLE

Contractor Will Have to Pay $15 a Day for 23 Days

In answer to Commissioner Donnelly's request for an opinion relative to the Greenhalge school contract, City Solicitor Hennessy states that the contractor, Daniel H. Walker, is liable to a penalty for 23 days lapsed time at $15 a day. The builder has requested that he be excused from the payment of these damages on the ground that he was delayed by other contractors. The city solicitor's opinion reads as follows:

April 16, 1914.

James E. Donnelly, Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Sir—In response to your oral request for the opinion of the city solicitor concerning the construction of a certain contract for the building of an addition to the Greenhalge school, and concerning the obligation and duty of the commissioner of public property and licenses in the premises, I submit that from all the facts and information presented to me I am of the opinion that the contractor is liable to penalty for 23 days lapsed time at $15: "a condition of the contract," the language of which is unmistakable and was known to the architect and the builder alike, that the sum of $15 per day should be paid not as a penalty but as liquidated damages for every day in excess of a specified time within which the contract should be finished.

The builder requests that he be excused from the payment of these damages on the ground of having been delayed by other contractors, and this request is made long after the completion of the contract. No written demand was ever made at the time that the supposed delays were occasioned, and even no oral demand was ever made insofar as the facts have been related to me. The commissioner of public property and licenses knew nothing of this claim until by letter from Mr. Rourke, the architect, after the completion of the work, and even that letter is so vague in its conclusion that it would be quite difficult for you as the commissioner having charge of the settlement of this contract in behalf of the city to excuse the payment for lapsed time; moreover, if the general contractor has been delayed he has his remedy against the contractor who delayed him, for in such contract there is a condition that the general contractor shall not be delayed by any act of subcontractors, and it seems to me that if there were such delays as claimed the department of public property and licenses should be so informed in order that the conditions of such supposed delays might be examined into.

It would be too much for the city to be burdened with all the seeming irregularities that permeate this transaction; therefore, I would suggest that it is your duty to insist upon the stipulations and conditions of the contract, but concerning the extra work claimed to have been done by the contractor, I believe that even though the strict letter of the contract has not been regarded to bring about the installation of the work, yet the city to be just to the contractor, might well, upon satisfactory proof being brought forth that the materials, work and labor were furnished, allow payment therefor after the same has been incorporated in the contract. Concerning the lapsed time, however, I can see no way in justice to the city how you can do otherwise but insist upon the stipulation in the contract.

Respectfully,
J. Joseph Hennessy,
City Solicitor.

THE TOLLS CONTROVERSY

INTEREST IN CONGRESS NOW CENTERS UPON THIS IMPORTANT MATTER

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Interest in congress in the proposed repeal of the exemption of American coastwise vessels from the payment of Panama canal tolls, which had to some extent waned during the past few days because of critical developments in the relations between the United States and Mexico was aagin today largely focussed upon the tolls controversy which occupies the center of the stage on the senate side of the capital.

In the belief that the crisis in the Mexican situation has now passed members of congress today showed renewed interest in the tolls question. The senate committee on inter-oceanic canals continued today its hearings on the subject. A committee of the New York chamber of commerce appeared before the committee and were ready to be heard.

QUITS FORE RIVER CO.

QUINCY, April 17.—Former Rear Admiral Francis T. Bowles resigned the presidency of the Fore River Shipbuilding Co. at a meeting of the directors held here today.

TALK ON ELECTRICITY

Howard W. Irwin, inspecting engineer of the Bay State street railway, gave a most interesting and instructive talk on "Electricity" before the members of the Knights of Columbus in their rooms on Anne street last evening. The speaker dwelt upon the use of electricity and its application as motive power in street railway systems. He told how railroad companies and other large companies trained their men to run cars and to repair brakes in emergencies. The lecture throughout was quite interesting, showing as it did, the numerous applications of electricity as a motive power. He displayed wonderful familiarity with this subject in all its phases and was liberally applauded at the close of his very interesting talk.

154 KILLED IN BATTLE

SEVERE ENGAGEMENT BETWEEN ITALIANS AND REBELS NEAR GEDEBIA

BENGHAZI, Africa, April 17.—A severe engagement was recently fought between the Italian forces and 2000 rebels near Gebedia. The Italians routed the enemy after hard fighting, killing 154 of them and wounding many. The Italian loss was slight.

SMALL STRIKE AT BEVERLY

SHOE WORKERS SATISFIED WITH WAGES BUT WANT TO UNIONIZE BRANCH

BEVERLY, April 17.—Twelve turn workmen at the Criterion Shoe Co. went out on a strike today in an effort to unionize that branch of the factory. Agents of the Shoe Workers' Protective union came from Haverhill today and held a conference with representatives of the company in the hope of obtaining concessions for the men. The strikers claim that the wages were satisfactory.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DODGE—Miss Elsie P. Dodge, formerly of Blue Hill, Maine, and a well known resident of this city, died at her home, 143 Grove street, early this morning, aged 52 years, today being her birthday. She is survived by one sister, Miss Nellie A. Dodge of this city and one brother, W. E. Dodge, also of this city. The funeral services will be held from her late residence, No. 143 Grove street, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

BAILEY—The funeral of Julia Bailey will take place Sunday afternoon from the home of her parents, 34 Berkley avenue, at 2 o'clock. At the Immaculate Conception church, services will be celebrated at 3 o'clock, Monday morning at 8.15 o'clock funeral mass of requiem will be sung. Interment will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker John J. O'Connell in charge.

SDOUKOS—The funeral of Nicholas J. Sdoukos will take place Sunday afternoon from the chapel of C. H. Molloy in Market street. Services will be held at the Holy Trinity church, Jefferson street, at 2.30 o'clock. Burial will take place in Westlawn cemetery in charge of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

FUNERALS

MORIN—The funeral of Loretta Morin took place this morning from the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Valere Morin, 53 Austin street. Services were held at St. Joseph's church at 10 o'clock, Rev. C. A. Paquette, O. M. I. officiating. The bearers were Philippe, Joseph, Emile and Willie Morin. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertaker Amedee Archambault.

ROBBINS—The funeral of the late John J. Robbins, an esteemed old resident, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 34 Willie street and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James Kerrigan. There were many beautiful floral tributes including a large pillow inscribed "Father," from daughter, Miss Mary Robbins, and offerings from Miss Bella Grant, Hannah Griffin, the Skiffington family, John and Marion Dowd and Miss Cunningham, the J. B. Riley family, Mrs. Jones, Miss Nellie Gormley, Mrs. Quinn, Mrs. Carrie O'Brien, Mary Griffin, Mrs. Joseph Flynn and Mrs. Hennessey. The bearers were Alfred Grant, Thomas J. Mullarkey, John Donahue, Michael Skiffington, Charles White and Timothy Riley. At the grave Rev. James Kerrigan read the committal prayers, and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

GREY—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Grey took place this morning at 8.15 o'clock from the home of Mrs. Donahue, 16 Merrill street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. At St. Peter's church a funeral mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Donahue at 9 o'clock. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were Michael J. Horan, Jerome D. Cullen, Joseph Donahue, Peter Grey, John Handley and Michael Heeren. Interment took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Donahue read the committal prayers at the grave. Undertaker John J. O'Connell had charge of the funeral arrangements.

DONLIN—The funeral of John Donlin took place this morning at 8.15 o'clock from his late home, 32 Stanley street, and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. At St. Michael's church a funeral mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. George Mullin at 9 o'clock. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were offerings from the Donlin children, Ellen Dowd, Mass. beaming room, Nellie Downing, Kearns family, Quinlan and Bailey family, Mr. Charles Baron, Kilbride family. The bearers were John Downing, Patrick Toohey, Michael Cullinan, and Michael Madden. Interment took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Mullin read the committal prayers at the grave. Undertaker John J. O'Connell had charge of the funeral arrangements.

SEVIGNY—The funeral of Desire Sevigny took place this morning from his home in North Chelmsford. High mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. John's church, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Edmund T. Schofield. The bearers were Alexis Beaudette, William Mercier, Edouard Lafrance, Daniel McMullin Emile Gauthier and Henri Savard. Among the floral offerings were tributes from Anna and Louise Gaudette, employes of Geo. B. Moore mill, finishing department, Silesia mill, and Mr. and Mrs. Noelzel. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

DEATHS

DURANT—Marie, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Durant, died at their home, 80 Common street, at the age of one year, one month and 22 days.

Rev. Fr. Magnan, O. M. I. of Quebec, is the guest of the Oblate fathers of St. Joseph's parish.

COMPENSATION ACT HEARING HELD TODAY

Case Had to do With Man Who Died as Result of Falling From Roof — Hearing at City Hall—Exercises in Schools Today

A hearing under the workmen's compensation act was held in the aldermanic chamber at city hall this forenoon. The hearing had to do with the death of Charles O. S. Wheeler, March 12, 1914. Mr. Wheeler was in the employ of the Amasa Pratt Co., and fell from a roof at 66 Dutton street. He was removed to the Lowell hospital where he died shortly after the accident.

The dependents in the case are his wife, Harriet A. Wheeler, and his son, Chester E. Wheeler. Both were witnesses at the hearing today. Deceased lived at 107 Myrtle street.

The insurance company in the case is the Massachusetts Employes Insurance association. James Stuart Murphy appeared as counsel for the defendants and John W. Cronin for the insurance association. The arbitrators were Joseph A. Parks, representing the industrial board; William A. Driscoll, representing the insuring company, and Thomas G. Robbins, representing the claimants or dependents.

It was stated that Mr. Wheeler's average earning capacity at the time of his death was $18.85 a week. His death was due to a fracture of the skull.

The board ruled not to allow compensation in either case, but that funeral expenses, not to exceed $200, should be paid.

Would Be Chauffeurs

Twelve applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the weekly examination at city hall this forenoon. These examinations are given every Friday by representatives of the state highway commission and the examiner today was Mr. Hubbell. Lowell is one of three or four cities in the state where these examinations are held and a majority of the men who took the examination today came from Lawrence, Haverhill, Andover and other towns. There was a great display of automobiles in Moody and Merrimack streets in the vicinity of the hall and some of them were fearfully and wonderfully made. One of the machines was an old timer and was referred to as a "mustard pot," and the driver, a jolly looking lad, allowed that it did resemble a mustard pot inasmuch as it was "right smart."

Edge and Circle Stones

Purchasing Agent Faye has received requisitions for 10,000 feet of edgestones, 500 feet of circle stone and a sufficient quantity of sewer castings for the sewer department. The bids will open on Wednesday next.

Public School Janitors

The Lowell Public School Janitors' association will hold a banquet at the American house Tuesday evening, April 21. Patrick J. Mahoney of the Lyon street school will be toastmaster and the principal speaker of the evening will be Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of schools. The invited guests will include Mayor Murphy, members of the school board and the attendance officers. The program includes speeches by the mayor, the school board chairman and Mr. Campbell of the school board. Mr. Campbell is chairman of the committees on janitors. Other features of the evening's entertainment will include readings by Attendance Officer Thornton; songs by Commissioner Donnelly and Francis A. Connor, inspector of buildings; cornet solos by Herbert R. Baker and piano solos by James Hounsell.

Ledge Encountered

Commissioner Morse says that because of the solid ledge which has been encountered in Appleton street the sewer men will be there longer than he thought would be necessary when the job was first started. At some points the ledge comes to within 18 inches of the surface, and that means that constant drilling and blasting to a depth of ten feet will be necessitated. The forces of men put on the job have been largely reduced. Because of the very heavy street car and other traffic the commissioner had hoped, that by putting on three crews of men that he would be able to complete the work within two weeks. The discovery of a cross grained ledge, however, will probably string the work along until the latter part of next week.

Financial Statement

The monthly financial statement of the city has been received from the printer. The report is on distribution at the office of the commissioner of finance. It was printed by the Buckland Printing Co.

In a short introductory speech the auditor states that under the new state accounting system adopted in 1913, in effect January 1, 1914, each warrant is charged off by the auditor on the day paid off by the treasurer and only warrants paid during the month of March are included in the report. Relative to this the auditor says: "Departments should take notice and govern themselves accordingly in making up their weekly statements, as statements dated in March and not paid until April are not included in this report, books should be kept in balance with the auditor's office at all times for a correct report. This change is necessary as the auditor and treasurer are obliged to keep in balance each day instead of monthly, as heretofore."

Limit of Indebtedness

The following leaf from the report has to do with the limit of indebtedness for the year 1914 and shows that the distance from the debt limit, January 1, 1914, was $238,631.68.

The limit of the municipal debt being two and a half per cent. of the average valuation of the last three years, minus net abatements the board of assessors respectfully submits that the amount of the municipal debt is $2,108,142.28.

Total city debt Jan. 1, 1914	$4,545,810.90
Deduct	
Water loans	1,276,350.00
By legislation	300,000.00
Temporary tax	600,000.00
	$2,676,460.90
City debt as it relates to limit of indebtedness	$1,869,460.90
Limit of municipal debt for the year 1914 two and one-half per cent. of the average valuation for the past three years	$2,108,142.58
City debt as it relates to the limit of indebtedness	1,869,460.90
Distance from the debt limit Jan. 1, 1911	$ 238,681.68
Payments to be made on the city debt during the year ending December 31, 1914	324,773.70
Total borrowing limit for the year 1914	$ 563,455.38
Borrowing capacity of the city April 1, 1914	$ 234,531.68
LOANS 1914	
Sewer construction, March	$ 55,000.00
Paving streets, April	100,000.00
Macadamizing, April	30,000.00
New sidewalks, April	8,000.00
The net debt April 1, 1914, was	$2,777,105.10

Exercises in Schools

There were Patriots' day exercises in all of the schools of the city today and the following program is typical of the many that were carried out in the different schools.

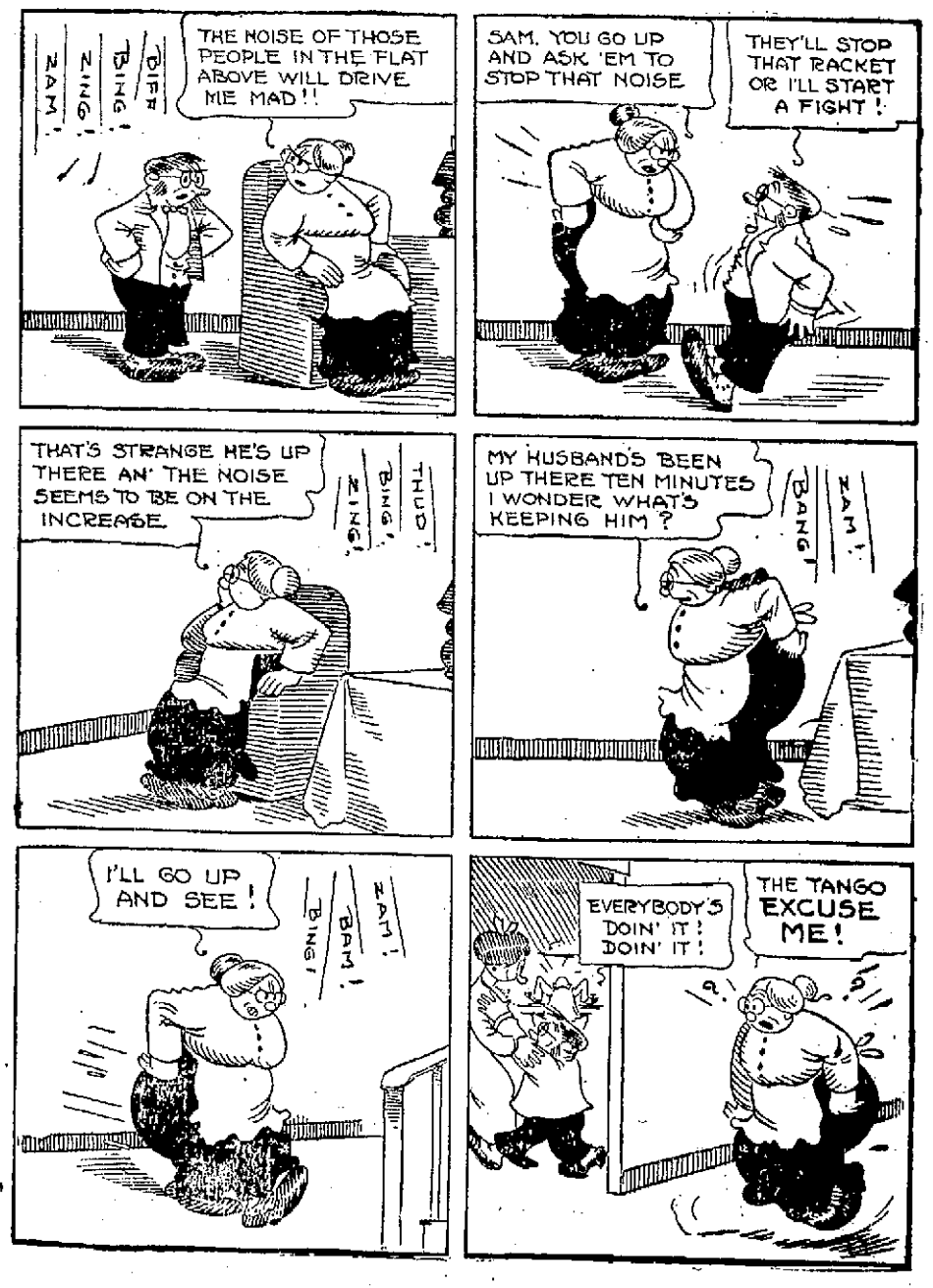
Singing, Hail Columbia, School
Recitation, Paul Revere's Ride, Longfellow, Wyllis Wright
Recitation, Concord Hymn....Emerson, Maurice Frazee
Recitation, The Rising in 1776....Reid, Fred Taylor
Song, Grace Before Meat, Miss Dowd's room
Recitation, Mamma's Best Umbrella, Marjorie Murphy
Recitation, The American Flag, Nellie Cross
Recitation, The Flag of Our Union Forever, Edith Malley
Duet, Words, Madeline Downing and Dorothy Nolan, violin accompaniment by Herbert Foster
Recitation, The Soldier Boy, John Downing
Recitation, I am an American, Doris Wilson
Song, Battle Cry of Freedom, School
Salute to the Flag, School

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends for flowers and sympathy shown at the bereavement of Mr. Cluff.
Mrs. George Cluff,
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sousa.

Rev. D. A. Forget, O. M. I., formerly of Lowell and now of Quebec, is renewing acquaintances in this city.

EXCUSE ME —



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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of George E. Spalding, late of Chelmsford, in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lydia A. Spalding, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-ninth day of April, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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BRINDLE DOG LOST, HAVING white breast with white ring around the neck; answers to the name of Bendie. Finder please return to 16 Alder st. and receive reward.

SMALL GUN METAL MESH BAG lost between Trinitarian church and Shattuck st. Return to Miss Phyllis Watson, 355 Bridge st.

STRING OF GOLD BEADS LOST Thursday, April 9, with plain gold cross attached. Reward for return to 28 Chapel st.

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Bill Affecting Pearson Postponed Again—Abuse of Arrested Persons by the Police

BOSTON, April 18.—Democrats who with certain of the republicans have long been restive over some members' habit of skipping the Friday sessions of the legislature, put them on record yesterday by springing a roll-call just before adjournment. Thanks to the warning of what was up, 183 of the 240 members were recorded, though some of the men had to be hauled in from the highways and byways to make even that total.

Pearson Bill

All bills and reports in connection with the tenure of office of the adjutant-general were postponed until Tuesday in the house on Beacon Hill yesterday. Speaker Cushing reserved his decision on the point of order raised that the bill reported by a majority of the committee on military affairs should be referred to ways and means, because it involved additional expenditure.

A bill requiring owners of apartment houses to keep posted conspicuously a statement showing the class of construction of the building, was submitted by Mr. Hays of Boston, who declared there have been built in Boston within a few years many apartment houses where first-class rents are charged and where the inhabitants imagine themselves living in places of first-class construction, but where the construction is often inferior.

Mr. Glennon of Cambridge introduced an order that the Boston Transit commission report at once upon establishing a station at Dewey square as soon as the new tunnel is completed. It was referred to the committee on rules.

Police Abuse

After a long debate the bill of Mr. McManus of Boston to prevent the ill treatment of arrested persons by police was substituted by a rising vote, 67 to 36. Mr. McManus said he knew of a case in station 4, Boston, where a prisoner was so badly beaten by three policemen that when he regained consciousness he was lying in a pool of blood on the floor of his cell.

The bill providing a $10 penalty for violation of the state board of health regulations on the keeping and exposing for sale of food was passed to be engrossed with an amendment to except the Boston market district.

The bill authorizing oyster cultivation licenses in Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket counties was ordered to a third reading. By a rising vote, 47 to 23, the bill of Mr. Lawler of Boston providing for a recall of the mayor of Boston on the petition of a majority of the voters was postponed.

Senator Williams of Dedham secured suspension of all rules in the senate to let through the bill to validate the action of Wellesley in accepting the act for the compensation of workmen on public works. The bill was given all its readings, engrossed and sent to the house.

Senator Doyle moved reconsideration of the vote of Thursday refusing to engross the Assessors' Appointment bill, and further action was postponed until Tuesday. Further consideration of the Boston Transit commission was postponed till Wednesday.

In the Senate

The legal affairs committee in the senate reported a bill to validate the proceedings of the town of Wellesley in accepting an act for the compensation of workmen injured on public works. Rules were suspended and the bill was given its several readings.

Senator Doyle moved for reconsideration of the defeat of the bill placing assessors in cities under civil service. Postponement was had to Thursday next.

Senator Horgan offered his new transit commission bill which reduces the membership on the board from five to three. Postponed to Wednesday next.

Bill for incorporation of insurance brokers was postponed to Wednesday.

In the senate the following bills were engrossed: Relative to consolidation of trust companies, relative to apportionment of sidewalk and curbstone assessments, relative to operation of boilers in apartment houses.

The senate ordered to a third reading bills to extend time for occupancy of Grafton colony buildings, to authorize county of Suffolk to pension May I. Everett, to authorize city of Chelsea to refund certain indebtedness, to revive charter of Essex Hosiery company.

Adverse reports were accepted on bills to authorize affirmations instead of oaths, on recall of judicial decisions, on bill relative to Sunday bootblacking, on bill for resignation of nurses, on assessing real and personal property at its true selling value. The adverse report on bill prohibiting use of glucose in confectionery was postponed to Thursday. The bill relative to wages of laborers and mechanics on public works was postponed to Tuesday, and the bill providing one day's rest in 15 for railroad employes was postponed to Wednesday.

Curley School Bill

Mayor Curley's bill for the abolition of the parental school in Boston and for the establishment of a disciplinary day school was recommended yesterday by the committee on rules.

The new school would be used for habitual truants. The schoolhouse commissioners are authorized to erect and equip the new school as approved by the mayor and street commissioners. Power is given the city to sell the land now occupied by the parental school.

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VISITING DAY

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The Lowell Telephone exchange has been entertaining visitors at its plant in Appleton street for the last two or three days and yesterday afternoon about 400 visitors from this city and surrounding towns were shown through the big building. The company had sent out a general invitation to everybody to come and inspect the plant and "get acquainted," and Manager C. J. Leathers says he doesn't want the people to wait for any invitation but to come right along and visit the plant at any time. "It is a good thing for us to have people visit the plant," he said, "because after having witnessed what is going on and what we are up against they can the more readily appreciate conditions."

The reception committee that showed the visitors about the building consisted of C. J. Leathers, manager; F. P. Gray, Charles F. Stanley, W. C. Johnson, wire chief; E. E. Sargent, Edward Streeter, Miss Nellie Snow, chief operator and twelve of her assistants.

There were a great many things that appeared very wonderful to the visitors for the average telephone user has but a very slight appreciation of the things with which the operator has to contend. The lightning rapidity with which the operators worked seemed almost unbelieveable.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the plant inspected was the spacious room in which are employed the telephone operators for local and toll calls. Here, Miss Nellie F. Snow, the chief operator demonstrated the methods employed, and her instruction was especially interesting from the fact that she had a table which enabled her to indicate clearly and rapidly how a call is received at the exchange, and what the operator is required to do in the process of establishing communication.

Attention was called to the little light which twinkles in response to the removal of the receiver and indicates the desire for service, and the fact was impressed upon subscribers that the rapid manipulation of the receiver lever is not effective, for it causes no flash at the switchboard, whereas the slow working of the receiver lever is always effective.

Patriots and Miner's, Asso., tonight.

There will be an anniversary high mass at the Immaculate Conception church, Monday morning at 8 o'clock for Mr. Michael Leonard.

MILITANTS AT IT AGAIN

BELFAST, Ireland, April 18.—The Belfast corporation's tea rooms in Bellevue gardens were destroyed by fire today with a very large loss. The fire is believed by the police to have been the work of militant suffragettes.

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Bids will be received for the Printing of the Annual Report of the Board of Park Commissioners up to 10 a. m., April 27th, at their office, City Hall. Information pertaining to same may be obtained at the office, City Hall, prior to April 24th.

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FINE ARTS THEATRE, IN CHICAGO, CONVERTED INTO MOVING PICTURE HOUSE

CHICAGO, April 18.—The Fine Arts theatre, which has been the home of drama and musical comedy since it was constructed, will be transformed into a moving picture playhouse in two weeks, it was announced today.

The Fine Arts theatre is the seventh down-town playhouse that has changed to moving pictures in the last 18 months and the third in the last two weeks.

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NEW YORK, April 18.—Arrived str Cedric from Liverpool.

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5.43	6.50	2.35	3.37
6.25	7.26	6.00	6.58
6.47	7.30	7.13	8.24
b6.40	7.53	7.56	8.33
6.57	8.05	n8.21	8.28
7.21	8.05	9.00	9.39
7.56	8.37	9.30	10.08
x7.25	8.40	11.03	11.43
8.06	9.37	12.30	1.09
n9.12	10.24	2.00	3.06
9.48	10.30	3.00	3.46
10.00	11.10	b3.44	5.02
11.33	12.14	4.00	4.35
12.15	1.05	s4.14	5.32
1.45	2.25	5.00	5.38
2.30	3.27	b5.21	6.32
3.39	4.40	5.38	6.31
4.20	5.27	b5.51	7.14
5.31	6.28	6.14	7.23
b5.17	7.22	8.00	8.33
6.42	7.25	8.50	9.08
7.41	8.25	10.30	11.38
9.55	10.40	11.40	12.36

Portland Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
6.45	7.56	z6.40	8.06
8.05	9.07	9.14	10.29
9.35	10.33	x10.00	11.32
10.35	12.07	11.50	12.55
12.02	1.13	3.30	4.40
z1.27	2.39	4.14	5.11
3.40	4.41	6.03	7.07
5.15	6.28	7.00	8.11
7.25	8.36	9.50	11.05
10.20	11.28		

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.47	7.30	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.05	9.30	10.08
8.30	9.36	11.05	11.43
9.06	9.55	1.00	1.36
10.20	11.17	5.30	6.24
2.42	3.25	5.00	5.38
5.10	6.00	8.30	9.06
6.49	7.30	9.20	10.25
7.41	8.25	10.20	11.35
9.55	10.40		

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

8.20	9.23	5.00	6.18
12.10	1.16	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.06	3.30	4.46
5.45	7.00	5.20	6.36
8.55	10.04	8.45	9.48

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Mrs. W. M. Myers has returned from a month's stay at Moers, N. Y.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

Col. Butler Ames and Mr. Adelbert Ames, jr., will sail Tuesday for Europe. They will return by July 1.

Mrs. C. A. Lincoln of Hoyt avenue has been entertaining Mrs. A. W. Green of Hartford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Abbott of Westford have returned from a trip to Panama and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bailey have returned from a pleasant stay at Daytona Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Sidney K. Fuller of Waterville, Me., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Hill of 27 Bellevue street.

Mrs. W. F. Stevens of West Meadow road is visiting Mrs. Wilbur Haywood in New York.

There will be a month's mind mass Monday morning, April 20, at St. Margaret's church at 7.30 a. m. for Mrs. Johanna M. Galvin.

There will be an anniversary mass of requiem at St. Peter's church, Monday morning at 7 o'clock for the late John Donahue.

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FAVOR REPEAL OF TOLLS

N. Y. Chamber of Commerce is Unanimous in its Support—Olney Supports President

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Support for the proposed repeal of the tolls exemption clause of the Panama canal act was given yesterday before the senate canals committee by representatives of the New York chamber of commerce who said that their organization had approved of repeal by an overwhelming majority.

Their testimony caused a wordy conflict between Senator Bristow, opposing repeal, and Edward F. Page, a member of the chamber. After Mr. Page had declared the United States should repeal the exemption clause in order to avoid breaking a contract, Senator Bristow asked whether the supporters of repeal could not be called traitors to America, as well as the opponents could be called violators of contracts.

"Those are catch words used by demagogues," replied the witness "but I do not intend to use any personalities. I do not believe the opponents of repeal have any right to question the loyalty of those on the other side."

Senator Bristow wanted to know whether the New York chamber of commerce had not been originally chartered before the revolution by King George of England. Mr. Page replied that was true, but that it now had a charter from the state of New York and he added that during the Civil war the organization gave money and loyally supported the Union.

Mr. Page declared that national honor and character were business assets to any nation, and that the industries of the United States in the future would largely be dependent upon exports. The business man of the country could do little if the nation did not keep its contracts, he added.

Eugene H. Outerbridge, an importer and exporter, said that on the basis of moral right, business and political expediency, and economic advisability, the preponderating opinion of business men with whom he had talked was against exemption of American vessels from tolls.

Senator O'Gorman, during his testimony, brought out that the Merchants association, a larger association than the chamber of commerce, had gone on record in favor of exemption.

A telegram approving of President Wilson's course on the tolls question, signed by Richard Olney, secretary of state in President Cleveland's cabinet, and other Massachusetts citizens, was read by Senator Simmons.

70 SURGEONS AT CLINIC

BALTIMORE, April 18.—Seventy eminent surgeons of Europe who have been attending the international congress of surgeons at New York, watched a clinic at Johns Hopkins hospital today. Later they inspected the buildings of the hospital and medical school.

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With the Horse Race Scene, Companion Play of "Wildfire"

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DANCING PATRIOTS' DAY

AFTERNOON AND EVENING

SECRET SERVICE MEN

Continued

Arthur Woods today to assign a secret service squad of eight men under command of a police captain to guard Mayor Mitchel.

Mayor Mitchel, after seeing that Mr. Polk was made as comfortable as possible at the New York hospital, returned to his office and finished the

FRANK L. POLK

day there as customary. Last night he attended a dinner at the New York Press club where he told the members of their organization that he had expected some such happening as the act of Mahoney but that "it does seem unfair that anyone else should have to take the consequences of the hazard that properly belongs to me."

The mayor went on to say that he did not believe the attack on him was due to the concerted action of a group of agitators. "When such a thing as that happens," he said, "it is the product of the disordered brain of some unfortunate individual—the man who does not think straight, who warps the facts that he partly gathers from the daily press in recording the action of the government."

Decided to Kill Mayor

To Police Captain Thomas Tunney, the mayor's would-be assassin said he had called at the city hall to remonstrate with Mayor Mitchel and had been "insulted" there.

"I then decided to kill him," he said. "I went down to the city hall Wednesday with the intention of killing him then, but I cooled off. Today (Friday) I went down there again with the intention of finishing the job."

The prisoner then told of waiting from 10 o'clock until the mayor and his party started to enter their automobile shortly after one o'clock and how he stood barely five feet from the object of his fancied hatred when he fired. He expressed that he had attempted to take Mayor Mitchel's life and was particularly sorry that the bullet had hit Mr. Polk.

Mahoney was born March 17, 1842, near Cork, Ireland, and came to this country about 60 years ago.

In his diary and in conversation with Capt. Tunney, Mahoney appeared to have a special grievance against the Masons and Odd Fellows and he also appeared to hold notions of wrongs against Andrew Carnegie and to have visionary ideas as to the proper conduct of the police department and other notions indicating a radical and erratic if not dangerous turn of mind.

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AS THE EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE UNDER THE WILL OF CALEB PHILBRICK, I SHALL SELL TO WHOMSOEVER WILL BID THE MOST AT ABSOLUTE AUCTION SALE AND COMPLY WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE, THE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY NUMBERED 389 WALKER STREET—BETWEEN WESTFORD AND GROVE STREETS. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SALE, THE PROPERTY HAS BEEN DIVIDED INTO TWO LOTS.

LOT ONE

Lot One comprises the very substantial and nice looking two and one-half story house with slated roof and granite foundation——numbered 389 Walker street. It has eight rooms, lower and upper square hall, also bathroom, pantry and laundry. Each one of the thirteen aforementioned rooms is unusually spacious; there is also a large unfinished attic—the size of the house and lighted by four dormer windows—that could be very easily finished into four chambers; the cellar, which is also the size of the house, is high posted, has concrete floor, is lighted from three sides, and has set off in convenient places a vegetable room, a preserve closet, shelving for winter storage of plants and coal bins. The lower floor is finished in natural wood with the exception of the parlor, and the windows are equipped with inside folding blinds to match; the ceilings of this floor were kalsomined, the wall repapered, and the woodwork newly dressed within twelve months; the pantry has large soapstone sink, marble pastry shelf, and closet cabinets; the laundry is at the westerly end of the house, is equipped with soapstone tubs, and summer cooking range. The house is heated throughout by an Arco "Ideal" steam boiler, numbered 2-22S, installed new within two years. Very few houses of so solid and complete a character as is this house are erected in the present day. With the exception of minor and the most ordinary repairs, it is in excellent condition throughout—from top to bottom. The living conveniences, particularly in the way of closets and drawer cabinets, are very noticeable, and the interior layout is unusually cheerful and attractive. The land with Lot One possesses a total area of some 7250 square feet, with a frontage of 50 feet on Walker street; the house sets back 15 feet from the sidewalk, is in the center of the frontage of the lot; is provided with broad open area on all four sides, and in its rear is a splendid garden plot about 50x80 feet; upon the premises are three grape vines trained on trellises, an apple tree, a quince tree, many rose bushes, also much lawn and shrubbery.

LOT TWO

Lot Two is a level plot of land 40x146 feet—40 ft. frontage on Walker street; it is laid down to lawn with garden plot 40x30 feet in the rear; has a group of six fruit trees; about the lawn are four rose bushes; at the front is a remarkable ailanthus shade tree; in the center is a maple shade tree. It adjoins the residence on the south side, is ready for immediate improvement, is desirable for many reasons, requires neither grading, filling, nor top dressing, in fact is already advanced to the point of building.

IN GENERAL

The Westford Street line of trolley cars is within two minutes' actual and comfortable walk to the south; the trunk lines of trolley cars on Branch street are within four minutes' actual and comfortable walk to the north. The premises, of course, are in sight at any time; the house, however, will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. the day of sale or before by making an appointment so to do by telephoning 617M Lowell. The sale will take place upon the premises, regardless of any condition of the weather, on Friday, the 24th day of April, 1914, beginning promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Lot One is to be sold first and its sale will be immediately followed by that of Lot Two. Each lot will be sold to the highest bona fide bidder. The purchaser of Lot One must deposit with or satisfactorily secure to the auctioneers $400, just as soon as the lot is struck off; the purchaser of Lot Two must do the same with $200; of the purchase money for each lot possibly 60 per cent. may be had upon mortgage with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. All inquiries must be made at the office of the auctioneers.

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LOOK

Patriots Day Monday

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AFTERNOON AND EVENING

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Admission, 25c

Receiver's Sale

By authority conferred upon me and by order of the Bankruptcy court, I am to conduct the business of the stationery and book store at 79 Merrimack street, Lowell, and I am now offering for sale the merchandise in the store, regardless of its cost. The stock consists of bottled inks, mucilage, pastes, pound and box paper, leather goods, games, office supplies, novelties of all kinds, religious books, beads, standard books, etc., and must be sold at once.

The store will be open until further notice during business hours.

BERNARD F. GATELY, Receiver.

THE WEATHER

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THE LOWELL SUN

6 O'CLOCK

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U. S. Will Seize Mexican Cities

PATRIOTS' DAY IN THIS CITY

Old Sixth Regiment Will Hold Reunion at Memorial Hall—Base Ball Season Opens at Spalding Track Meet on South Common—Other Events

Patriots day will be observed in a fitting manner on Monday by the surviving members of the Old Sixth regiment, who will meet at Memorial hall in this city, to commemorate the 53d anniversary of the Civil war. The aged veterans will hold a business meeting which will be followed by a visit to Monument square, and a banquet in the afternoon.

It is expected that about 50 veterans will attend the festivities, which will be held at Memorial hall. The business meeting will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at which the election of officers will be held. Immediately after the closing of the meeting the veterans will repair to Monument square where special exercises will be held and then they will return to the Memorial hall banquet room where a dinner will be enjoyed.

The roll-call will be read and a silent toast to the memory of the 11 members who departed during the past year will be given. The reunion will be a most happy one for the surviving members of the Old Sixth regiment, who will listen to interesting remarks on events of years gone by.

Stores and Factories Close

The cotton mills, shoe shops, machine shops and other industries closed this noon, not to reopen again

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PRES. WILSON'S FINAL MESSAGE TO HUERTA

WASHINGTON, April 18.—President Wilson answered Huerta's defiance shortly after noon today by declaring that if Huerta did not recede from his position the American fleet would be concentrated at Vera Cruz.

Secretary Bryan prepared President Wilson's answer which was immediately sent to Mexico City. It set forth that unless Huerta accepts the American demands immediately the plan for seizure of Tampico and Vera Cruz will be carried out without waiting for Admiral Badger to reach Mexican waters.

Seizure Will Be Carried Out

The plan for seizing Vera Cruz and Tampico also includes the seizure of the railway from Vera Cruz to Mexico City as far as a trestle about 20 miles west of Vera Cruz.

The armored cruiser South Dakota with 260 marines was ordered to sail today from the Bremerton yard to San Diego, California, there to await further orders.

While President Wilson's final message was in transmission to Mexico City orders were flashing out from the navy department setting all the forces already in Mexican waters in readiness to enforce its terms. There were no orders to the troops at Texas City.

While public officials announced that unless Huerta saluted the flag according to President Wilson's demand as soon after receipt of today's message as was physically possible, action would be taken without any further exchanges.

"Very Grave Business"

Members of the cabinet were summoned to the White House for conference. Postmaster General Burlson was the first to arrive. Others left their offices and hurried to the executive offices in their motor cars.

As President Wilson, Secretary Bryan and Secretary Tumulty returned to the White House offices their faces were very grave and they were silent.

All callers and those who had engagements with Mr. Wilson were turned away with the word that "very grave business" was being considered.

If Huerta has not yielded at 6 p. m. Sunday President Wilson will take the matter to congress Monday. This was announced at the White House.

Wilson Typed Reply

Secretary Bryan explained that the president's statement meant Huerta would be obliged to guarantee the salute without qualifications by 6 p. m. Sunday and that physical obstacles might defer its being actually fired by that hour.

The president typed the reply himself on his own typewriter, as is his custom with important documents. Then he decided that inasmuch as there probably would be no action before tomorrow night he would change his plans and go to White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., anyway and bring Mrs. Wilson back to Washington.

At the navy department in the absence of Secretary Daniels, who is in Cleveland today, the board of aides, which is the executive arm of the service, went into session to make the finishing plans for moving ships and marines.

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Second Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE NEXT EDITION

SECRET SERVICE MEN GUARD N. Y. MAYOR

Counsel Polk, Shot in Mistake for Mayor Mitchel, Spent Restless Night—Would-be-assassin Held in $25,000 on Charge of Attempted Murder in First Degree

NEW YORK, April 18.—Michael P. Mahoney, who yesterday attempted to assassinate Mayor Mitchel and in so doing wounded Frank L. Polk, corporation counsel, was arraigned in the Tombs police court today on a charge of attempted murder in the first degree. He was held in $25,000 bail for the action of the grand jury

When questioned by detectives, Mahoney stated that when he bought the revolver which he fired yesterday he told the man who sold it in Jersey City that he wanted "to kill a rat."

"To Kill a Rat"

After the court proceedings, the would-be assassin was lined up before the entire detective squad of New York, who behind masked faces, examined him carefully, for "further reference."

POLK SPENT RESTLESS NIGHT

NEW YORK, April 18.—Corporation Counsel Frank L. Polk, who was shot in mistake for Mayor Mitchel yesterday by Michael P. Mahoney, mentally unbalanced, spent a restless night and suffered much pain. The bullet was removed early last night and his physicians announced today that the patient would be able to leave the hospital within two days and after a rest of two weeks be fit to resume his official duties. From the many incoherent letters written by Mahoney in which he attacked the official acts of Mayor Mitchel of this city, of Mayor Armstrong of Pittsburgh and of Col. Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone, and after a two hours' study of the aged man, District Attorney Whitman expressed the opinion that Mahoney was of the "embittered and sodden type of hobo." This statement indicated that the district attorney would not oppose action to have the prisoner adjudged insane. Mr. Whitman said that while the best course might be to have Mahoney confined in an asylum, the mayor and Mr. Polk must be consulted before a final decision is reached.

Guard Mayor Mitchel

The attempted assassination by Mahoney caused Police Commissioner

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MANY PERMITS GIVEN FOR YARD FIRES

Today is the first of three days set aside by Mayor Murphy as preliminary to clean-up week and according to the number of permits for "yard" fires taken out at the office of the fire chief at the Central fire station and at Commissioner Carmichael's office at city hall, there will be some smoke in Lowell this afternoon. Between the first of March and the first of December it is necessary to get a permit in order to burn rubbish even on your own premises and the fire chief says it is a very good law, too, because of the fact that a great many serious fires have been set by rubbish fires in yards and streets.

The mayor has included Sunday in the three preliminary clean-up days, but the good people of the city are not supposed to rake and scrape and build fires on Sunday. The mayor says he had in mind that inside work could be done on Sunday and that today and Monday might be devoted to the out-door work.

Fire Chief Saunders was a caller at city hall this forenoon and he said that on account of so many fire permits being granted he would not be surprised if the fire bells would be heard several times during the afternoon and evening.

Pine Trees are Dying

Some kind of an unknown disease has struck the beautiful clump of pine trees whose spreading branches have shaded the sick at the Lowell General hospital and whose aroma has permeated and sweetened the air for the white plague victims. The trees are near the tubercular camps and the disease seems to have attacked them at their roots and Moth Inspector Gordon has asked State Forester Rane to come here next week and examine the trees. Mr. Rane is said to be a very skillful tree surgeon and after having diagnosed the case he will either apply or recommend a remedy. On one of his visits here Mr. Rane spoke of this particular clump of pines and said he thought the trees are as nice as any he had seen in the state. Some wag has suggested that perhaps the movement to locate a contagious disease hospital in close proximity to them might have so distressed the pines that they took sick and prepared to die.

State Inspector's Orders

State Inspector Carey has instructed Commissioner Jas. E. Donnelly, whose department includes public buildings, to make the following repairs to school houses: Pawtucket school—Apply hardware to all egress doors and put on floor cleats. Bartlett school—Exit signs and floor cleats. Greenhalge—Exit signs on the easterly portion, and floor cleats. Varnum—Floor cleats and new hardware for basement stairs and also to make ceiling in basement over boilers of the proper construction to prevent spread of fire. Lincoln school—Hand rails on both sides of all stairways. Washington school—Floor cleats.

Hearing Called Off

The hearing on the removal of Josiah Hart as board of health stable man has been called off The hearing was asked by representatives of the Trades and Labor council and was set for tonight, but after investigating the case the labor representatives asked that the hearing be called off. This information was given out at the mayor's office this forenoon. Mr. Hart was discharged by order of the mayor and ex-Alderman Flanagan was assigned to the position.

MOTOR-BUSS CARS LOWELL TO LAWRENCE

A motor-buss line between Lowell and Lawrence is the very latest thing on the calendar, and before one month has passed it will be possible to reach Lawrence in 40 minutes, or less time, for the small sum of 15 cents, riding by motor-buss.

Amos P. Best is the man behind and he will start with two cars. The cars will be built along lines similar to the semi-convertible electric cars and will have a seating capacity of 24 or 25. Mr. Best says that if business is very rushing and passengers should want to stand a car would probably accommodate about 35 people.

In looking the field over Mr. Best decided on the car known as the White car. It will be a 30-horse power car and will carry about one ton and a half.

Mr. Best discussed the proposition with The Sun today and he is very enthusiastic. "I feel that the thing is going to be a success from the start," he said, "and while I am going to start with two cars, I will increase the number if the business warrants it. The cars will leave Lowell and Lawrence every forty minutes and I think we can cut the forty-minute time down some unless we have to make too many stops. The cars will be thoroughly

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NO SUN ON MONDAY

In honor of Patriots day, which will be observed on Monday, The Sun will suspend publication of all editions.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

TAUNTON, April 18—Mrs. Henry J. Hobert was burned to death today. She was working in her kitchen when flames from a stove ignited her apron.

TWO MEN ASPHYXIATED

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 18.—The accidental disconnecting of a rubber gas hose between the pipe and a stove caused the asphyxiation of two men in a Fountain street stable early today. The men were William Ralph employed in the stable and Hugh Sweeney, his brother-in-law, whom Ralph had invited to sleep with him in his room in the stable. It is the theory of the police and medical examiner that the men knocked the stove over sometime during the night, disconnecting the hose.

Get your seeds and garden fertilizers at Cover's, 150 Middle street. Phone 4000.

THE GRAND JURY

To Probe Lowell and Middlesex County's Finances May 25

CAMBRIDGE, April 18.—A special session of the Middlesex county grand jury will be called at Lowell May 25, District Attorney Corcoran announced today. At this session an investigation will be made of alleged irregularities in county affairs and charges of illegal expenditures of Lowell municipal funds will also be probed.

The district attorney said he had instituted a suit for $38,000 against Sheriff J. R. Fairbairn to recover funds alleged to have been embezzled by a former bookkeeper at the house of correction.

FIRE IN SOUTH STREET

While frying potatoes in her home at 160 South street shortly after 10 o'clock this forenoon, Mrs. Charles Echmelia allowed a spark to fly from the stove and a small fire resulted. The members of hose 7 were soon on the scene and put out the blaze before any serious damage had been done. The building is owned by John F. Saunders.

REDUCTION IN PRICE OF COAL

There will be no reduction in the price of coal in this city for a short time at least according to a statement made by a local dealer yesterday. Although it is admitted that the lowering of the price in Boston about two weeks ago will eventually mean a similar reduction in this city no information as to when it will be made can be gained by Lowell dealers, it is claimed.

THE BASEBALL POOLS

TICKET SELLERS ARE BUSY ABOUT TOWN REGARDLESS OF POLICE THREATS

If the movement to stop the sale of baseball pools in Lowell is a sincere one, then there are several young men about town who are willing to take a risk and the risk compares with that of the maker of illicit whiskey.

The pool tickets are being sold freely about town. Certain names have been mentioned in connection with the sale of these tickets and it has been called to the attention of the authorities that tickets for a pool operated in New Hampshire are being sold here, and that some of the old-time ticket buyers are refusing to buy because the pool covers too big a territory.

It has also been stated that at least two pools have been started in this city and that a big sale of tickets has already been made. Just what the mayor and Supt. Welch intend to do about it remains to be seen, but it seems as if it ought not to be a very hard job to get the venders of these tickets.

ATTACHMENT FILED

An attachment was filed at the local registry of deeds this forenoon against the Boston & Maine railroad in behalf of Robert I. Curran of Westfield. The amount was placed at $300,000 for an action of contract.

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Chicken Soup a la Perigard
Soup De-Onions au Gratin
Soup Sticks
Gridiron Chicken Halibut Steak
Shredded Lettuce, Roquefort Dressing
Madeira Punch
(Choice of Roasts)
Young Vermont Turkey
Cranberry Sauce
Leg of Spring Lamb, Mint Jelly
Milk Fed Chicken (Half) Orange Marmalade
Mashed or Boiled Potatoes
Lima Beans
Waldorf Salad, Cream Dressing
Nougatine Ice Cream, Assorted Wafers
Roquefort Cheese, Toasted Crackers
Coffee
Tables reserved up to Sunday noon. Also a la carte menu and combination
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THE CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK
58 Central St.

NO AMALGAMATION SAYS CHAS. S. BIRD

Blames Republican Party for Demoralized and Desperate Condition of Business—Merging of Parties Impossible, He Says at Indiana Convention

INDIANAPOLIS, April 18.—Amalgamation of the progressive and republican parties is impossible, declared Charles Sumner Bird, former progressive candidate for governor of Massachusetts, in an address at the Indiana state convention here today. "Is it possible," he asked, "that the leaders

CHARLES SUMNER BIRD

of the progressive party would work in harmony with the men in control of the republican party? Stand them up and judge for yourself. In one row are Barnes, Penrose, Smoot, Gugenheim and their kind. In the other are Roosevelt, Johnson, Stubbs, Lindsay, Beveridge and the men of their type. It is as impossible to bring these men together upon one platform as it would be to induce the rank and file of the progressive party to follow the leadership of men who would compromise with the bosses of the old parties in order to win the spoils of office.

Content to Wait for Victory

"No, we progressives have blazed our own trail and that is the one we will follow. Disintegration of the progressive party! Nonsense. Those who talk it are the ones who fear the republican party will go first. Today we are a party of more than 4000 strong—a party of advance—much alive and working together with practical unanimity. We do not expect immediate results and are content to await until victory is attained on a solid and lasting basis.

Mr. Bird placed on the republican party the responsibility for what he termed the demoralized and desperate condition of business of the country, asserting that during the Taft administration the republican leaders "had broken their solemn pre-election pledges" and that if they "had not stolen the presidential nomination in the Chicago convention of 1912 then a democratic administration would not have been elected."

"Neither can the democratic party," he continued, "escape the responsibility for the deplorable business situation which, notwithstanding their protestations, has steadily grown worse since the election of Mr. Wilson. Their ceaseless, unremitting attack on business, the unscientific tinkering with the tariff, the failure to appoint a tariff commission to remove what is beyond the reach of professional politicians, the un-American drifting Mexican policy which means war or dishonorable peace, which is worse than war; the looting of our diplomatic service whereby political creditors have superceded trained and faithful—all these cause distrust, suspicion, uncertainty. Business hesitates and halts, and the American people are waiting and watching for a rift in the cloud which hangs over the industrial activities of the country."

CAPTAIN CLEAVES INSPECTING U. S. S. TEXAS, AND FEDERAL BUILDING IN VERA CRUZ

1-INSPECTING the TEXAS—2-FEDERAL BUILDING at VERA CRUZ
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VERA CRUZ, April 18.—American and foreign refugees from Mexico City are arriving here by the score owing to the disorder in the capital caused by the announcement of the sailing of the additional American warships into Mexican waters. The illustration shows the federal building at Vera Cruz, where all dispatches received for or sent by American citizens are censored by Huerta's officers.

BROOKLYN, April 18.—The great dreadnought Texas is being rushed into commission at the navy yard under orders from Washington. The illustration shows the Texas under inspection by Captain Albert Cleaves (in overcoat), commandant of the navy yard, and Lieut. Newton (at right, in cape).

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

With a large attendance of members, the regular meeting of Wamesit lodge, No. 25, Knights of Pythias, was held last evening in Pythian hall on Merrimack street. Considerable routine business was transacted after which the doors were opened to guests and a whist tournament was played. The winners were as follows:

Ladies: First prize, Mrs. Lena Becker; second prize, Mrs. Cora Brown; third prize, Mrs. Clara Smith. Gentlemen's: First prize Thos. Carty; second prize, Geo. Doltoehn; third prizee, William Daly.

I. O. O. F.

A short business session of Merrimack Valley lodge, I. O. O. F., was held last evening and was followed by the presentation of the following program:

Songs, Thomas Chinn, Walter McGrath, K. Whittaker, Andrew Holroyd, Frank A. Mills, Mr. Booth, John Myers, Mr. Clark and John E. Barnes; violin solo and piano selections, Mr. Galloway, Mr. Holroyd, Mr. Clark and Mr. Mills; recitations, P. G. Peter Caddell, Mr. Murphy, Walter McGrath and Ed. Dunkerly; remarks Brother Farrell. The piano accompanist of the evening was F. A. Mills.

Sons of Veterans

Amid great applause by the members the beautiful parade flag recently won by Admiral Farragut camp, Sons of Veterans, was unfurled for the first time at a meeting of the camp held last evening in G. A. R. hall on Merrimack street. The local organization now claims to be the largest and leading camp in the state but in spite of this it is hoped that 20 new members will be secured before Memorial day. Reports were made at the meeting and it was announced that Corp. Foster is drilling the gun squad regularly.

Edith P. Walcott Auxiliary

The following members of the Edith P. Walcott auxiliary will attend the state convention, Spanish War Veterans, and auxiliaries to be opened in Haverhill today: Mrs. Alice E. Goodwin, president and department conductor; Mrs. Blanche M. Jelly, treasurer and junior vice president; Mrs. Isabel M. Ellis, Mrs. Jennie Everett, Mrs. Lowcraft, Mrs Chandler, Miss Ella Sloan, Mrs. Jennie W. Jeyes. The auxiliary is making arrangements for a dancing party, to be held in the near future.

Centralville Lodge Fair

An advertisement on the amusement page calls attention to the annual fair and entertainment of Centralville lodge, which is to take place in its hall the last four days of next week. The committee in charge has arranged for first-class entertaining features each evening. A luncheon will be served at 5.30 o'clock each evening and every one who attends the fair is promised a pleasant time.

Manchester Unity, I. O. O. F.

The regular meeting of the Merrimack Valley lodge of Odd Fellows, M. U., was held in Grafton hall last night with Noble Grand Joseph Pearson in the chair. After the usual routine the meeting was open for members and their friends and the hall was quickly filled by the largest attendance ever seen at the lodge. An exceptionally fine entertainment was presented which the audience enjoyed to the limit. To say that the lodge is booming is but stating the literal fact. With its rapid growth it will soon become the leading lodge of the order in the district, a position which the officers have determined to attain.

The program for the evening was as follows: Songs by F. Booth, John Myers, Walter McGrath, Thomas Chinn, K. Whittaker, J. E. Barnes, F. A. Mills, Mr. Joseph Clark; vocal duets by William Ellis and Mr. Garner and Walter McGrath and Ed. Dunkerly; readings by P. G. Peter Caddell and Mr. Murphy. Remarks on athletics by Brother Farrell; violin and piano selections, Mr. Galloway and A. Holroyd, Mr. Joe Clark and F. A Mills. Refreshments were served.

C. W. WHIDDEN RESIGNS

AS PRESIDENT OF CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK FROM ILL HEALTH —H. W. BARNES FILLS VACANCY

On the advice of his physicians on account of protracted ill health, Clarence W. Whidden, for more than 30 years connected with the Central Savings bank, has resigned from that office much to the regret of the directors, and Henry W. Barnes, long time clerk in the bank and well known as a business man, has been chosen to succeed Mr. Whidden.

Mr. Horace S. Bacon has been chosen as clerk for the remainder of the year in place of Mr. Barnes.

The resignation of Mr Whidden was accepted with reluctance but after consulting his physician, Mr. Whidden was permitted to accept the less onerous office of vice-president, to which he was chosen.

Mr. Whidden's letter of resignation was as follows:

Lowell, Mass., April 18, 1914.
The Board of Trustees of The Central Savings Bank.

Gentlemen: I have been advised by my physicians that my health is such that I ought not to continue to attend to the exacting duties of president of the bank. I, therefore, tender my resignation as president and also as a member of the board of investment. I am very grateful to the trustees for the consideration they have shown me especially in granting me a vacation for the past few months.

Yours truly,
Clarence W. Whidden.

The esteem and sympathy of the trustees of the bank were expressed in the following resolution:

CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK.

The board of trustees regret to learn that the condition of health of Clarence W. Whidden prevents him from continuing as the executive head of the bank, and desire to place upon record their appreciation of his service, in the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the trustees of The Central Savings bank, in accepting the resignation of Clarence W. Whidden as president, do so with regret and hereby place upon the records of the bank their appreciation of his unfailing industry, his constant loyalty, and also the uniform courtesy, which for more than 30 year have characterized all his dealings with the other officers of the bank and with everyone who, through him, has had business relations with the bank.

CONVICT DIES IN PRISON

TONY MARONO WAS SERVING SENTENCE OF 10 YEARS FOR ASSAULTING DEPUTY MARSHAL

CONCORD, N. H., April 18.—Tony Marono, serving a sentence of ten years in the state prison for assaulting Deputy City Marshal Victor Moore of this city with intent to kill on Oct. 5, 1912, died at the prison today from the effects of wounds self-inflicted on April 4.

ST. PETER'S HOLY NAME

QUARTERLY COMMUNION WILL TAKE PLACE TOMORROW AT 7.30 MASS

The regular quarterly communion of St. Peter's Holy Name society will take place tomorrow and it is confidently expected that the attendance will be very large. The fact that the communion day comes within the prescribed time for the Easter duty, will undoubtedly contribute to the attendance, though St. Peter's society has always turned out in great numbers at these quarterly events. The members will attend the 7.30 o'clock mass, and a special musical program will be given by the Holy Name choir. After mass the members will have breakfast in Lonsdale hall, a corps of ladies under the direction of Mrs. Katherine McQuade, assisting on the tables. Following the breakfast an entertainment program will be carried out, with Dr. Michael A. Tighe as the speaker of the day. The master of ceremonies at the breakfast will be the new president, and one of the society's best hustlers, Bernard D. Ward.

Visiting in Lowell

Rev. John Henry C. S. S. R., of Chicago, Ill., a former missionary and noted scholar of the Redemptorist order, was the guest of his sister, Sister Caroline, at St. John's hospital, yesterday, the occasion being their first meeting in many years. Fr. Henry has been ordained 42 years and during his career has preached missions in 30 states of the Union, and in Canada. For several years he has been in charge of a large parish in Chicago and has devoted much of his time during his later years to literary work. Fr. Henry left this afternoon for New York, where he will visit his brother, also a member of the Redemptorist order, before returning to Chicago.

LOCAL NEWS

The many friends of Undertaker Joseph Albert will be pleased to learn he is about again after being confined to his bed with a severe illness for the past two weeks.

Monday morning, April 19, at 8 o'clock there will be an anniversary high mass of requiem at St. Peter's church for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Margaret McMahon.

The members of the A. C. Cadets and the Angel Guardian sodality of St. Joseph's parish are organizing a whist and social which will be given for the benefit of St. Jean Baptiste church on May 13. Rev. Joseph Denis, O. M. I., is spiritual director of both organizations and he is helping the boys to make the event a success.

A largely attended benefit concert and dance was given at Prescott hall last night with Devno's orchestra furnishing music. The musical program included members by the following: Mrs. Clara Johnson, piano selections; Fred Booth, songs; Miss Mathilde Schunborn, readings, Miss Esther Mulgrave, "Maid of the Mist" dance; Miss Irene Buchanan, songs; Miss Katherine Hey, piano selections; Miss Sadie Riley, songs; Henry Leavitt, readings; K. Whitaker, songs.

WINTHROP'S NEW CURFEW

NEARLY CAUSED A PANIC IN THEATRE AT BEACH—FIREMEN LEFT UPON HEARING BELL

WINTHROP, April 18.—An unwarranted cry of "Fire" in the Dream theatre at Winthrop beach about 9 Thursday evening created a consternation that nearly developed into a serious panic. It was caused by the new curfew town ordinance.

The curfew, which is rung each evening at 9, to warn all children under 16 off the streets, consists of two strokes on the fire alarm bell at the fire engine house opposite the Dream theatre. In order that there shall be no misunderstanding of the curfew there is no box 2 on the fire alarm list.

The firemen have had it impressed on them repeatedly, it is said, that two bells signifies only the curfew, yet last evening when it struck, two firemen in the audience at the Dream theatre jumped from their seats and ran to the exit.

Some excitable person in the rear, seeing the firemen hurrying out, shouted "Fire," and in an instant the entire audience was on its feet and trying to get to the doors.

The house was dark and a moving picture was being displayed at the time of the outbreak, but as quick as possible the lights were turned on and Special Officer John McCarthy, who is always on duty in the theatre, shouted repeatedly to the audience to return to their seats, as there was no fire and no danger of any kind.

In the meantime the auditors were engaged in a desperate struggle, for a short time, to get to the doors and many were seriously crushed and mauled about, though none was severely hurt.

The worst of the scare was stopped early, however, and after about five minutes the attaches of the house got the frightened auditors back into their seats and the performance was resumed.

EMERALD ASSOCIATES DANCED

The Emerald Associates conducted their annual social and dance at Hibernian hall last night. The affair was largely attended and all present spent a most enjoyable evening. Wall's orchestra furnished music and a dance order of 20 numbers was carried out.

The officers of the evening were: General manager, Richard Murtagh; assistant general manager, James J. Droney; floor director, Michael Rynne; assistant floor director, James G. Clancy; chief aid, William Twohey; aids, Patrick Heslin, Frank Loughran, James O'Gara, Patrick McCann, Lieut. Michael Monaghan, Patrick Brosnan, Bernard Scanlon, Michael Droney, Frank McNulty, Hugh McGowan, Thomas Brosnan, Michael Dolan; reception committee, Capt. Patrick Fitzgerald, chairman; Lieut. Francis J. Kierce, John Power, Thomas McInerney, Michael O'Loughlin, James Cryan, Lawrence Cavanaugh, William McVey, John McInerney, Thos. Wall, John A. Cotter, Andrew F. Roach, Thomas Linehan, James J. Kennedy; treasurer, Michael Hynes; secretary, Patrick Rynne.

BILLERICA

The T. R. & T. Baseball club of North Billerica held its annual dancing party in Talbot Memorial hall last evening and the affair was one of the most successful held in that hall during the present season. An order of 20 numbers was danced through to excellent music furnished by Broderick's orchestra and shortly before 12 o'clock all left the hall highly praising the committee which had charge of the arrangements.

Moderator Charles H. Eames last night announced the following committee appointments: Committee to investigate the town farm, Arthur S. Cook, Albert H. Richardson, Frank A. FitzGerald; committee on building laws, Warren H. Manning, Nathaniel R. Jones, Francis A. D. Singhi, William H. Sexton, Ivory M. Hanson; committee to look up site and plans for new town farm, Warren Holden, Frank L. Day, Thomas F. Sheridan; committee to report on matter of purchasing fire combination auto truck, Frederic C. Farquhar, Josiah C. Evans, George P. Greenwood; committee in regard to trolley line extension, Charles H. Williams, Thomas T. Clark, Sidney A. Bull, Richard T. Perry and Charles H. Eames.

Y.M.C.A. BANQUET

Large Attendance at Annual Affair Last Night

With an exceedingly large number of members and guests present, the annual banquet of the members of the Young Men's Christian Association was held last evening in the gymnasium, and it is needless to say that the affair was one of the most enjoyable sociable affairs on the Y. M. C. A. calendar. The well arranged program went off without a slip-up, and consisted of dinner, speechmaking, awarding of prizes, as well as the reports of the different departments of the association.

C. B. Redway acted as toastmaster and after the banquet called upon F. L. Willis, general secretary of the Worcester Y. M. C. A., as the principal speaker of the evening. Mr. Willis took for his subject, "Team Work, the Secret of Success," and it was a very interesting one as he outlined the accomplishments of the Y. M. C. A. in this state during the past few years and stated that it all was due to team work. He showed how much the association is doing for the young man of today in helping to educate him and encourage him in his industrial training and other work. The speaker was especially pleased with the quarters of the local association and complimented the members for their fine showing.

The bowling league prizes were presented under the direction of C. B. Redway. The Iroquois team made the best record of the season, and suitable awards were made to the members. The individual winners were: Alvin Tetley, high three string total, 311; Bryant Kirby, high average, 92.7; high single, Charles Dulligan, 134.

Reports of the different departments were made as follows: Religious work, Otis Butler; life in the dormitory, Arthur Standfast; boys' department activities, Arthur Dows; summary of bowling league, F. W. Kittredge; physical department, Albert J. Wicke.

IN POLICE COURT

Man Fined $20 for Assault — Several Old Timers in Court

The final testimony, in the case where the complainant was turned defendant before the trial was completed last Thursday, was heard this morning in police court before Judge Enright. Frank Destefano, who at the last hearing was the complainant, today pleaded not guilty to assault and battery upon Mike Brown.

Brown testified that the defendant was standing in a doorway of a store where he, Brown, was in charge on last Saturday night. The store is situated on Charles street. Witness said that defendant with several others were blocking up the passageway into the store and that he tried to persuade them to move out of the doorway.

Defendant was partially under the influence of liquor, said the witness, and when he attempted to put him away from the door he drew a razor and slashed the latter's overcoat in several places. The coat was exhibited in court.

The defendant denied making any attack upon Brown. He admitted, however, when cross-examined by Lawyer Donahue, counsel for the prosecution, that he had made threats to use a knife and that he put his hand to his pocket in a suggestive manner.

The defendant also admitted that he had been drinking on the evening in question. Asked why he didn't go over toward the section of his own nationality, he said that he had business up Charles street way. Judge Enright found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of $20.

Dennis J. Mahoney was arrested yesterday on a capias for not conforming with the terms of his probation. Dennis put up a great plea to Judge Enright this morning.

"Carmichael is going to give me a job sure," he assured the court, "and then I'll be all straightened out." The judge gave him one more opportunity to make good and continued the case for a week with no finding.

Mary A. Bradley and her husband, Alfred, were left in charge of a house by the owners a short time ago. Prosperity, however, got the better of the pair and yesterday they went off on a regular time. Both of them pleaded guilty to drunkenness in court today. The woman was given a suspended sentence of four months to the Lyeleth establishment and the man was released.

John A. Smith made his third appearance for drunkenness within the year. He was allowed to depart after registering a solemn promise to send Probation Officer Slattery $15 within the next six weeks. Alphonse Geguire, a brother of the young man who left home with Belleville, the Lowell man killed in the west recently while attempting a burglary, pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was released.

JOHN M. FARRELL - - - - Auctioneer
OFFICE, 162 MARKET ST., LOWELL, MASS.

Household Furniture Auction Sale

Thursday, April 23, 1914, at 2 O'Clock P. M., at No. 775 Broadway, Lowell, Mass.

I shall sell at public auction the household furnishings of a 6-room flat, consisting in part of mahogany parlor suite, parlor table, extra chairs and rockers, new Shallenger upright piano that cost $300, music cabinet, lace curtains, portieres, pictures, carpets, rugs (all sizes), sitting room furniture, couch, morris chairs, rockers, mirrors, writing desks, sitting room stove, fancy bric-a-brac, silverware, glassware, etc. Drop-head Singer sewing machine, as good as new, Crawford kitchen range with water front (a good one), ice chest, kitchenware, gas stove, two iron beds, springs, and all the bedding, two oak dressers, commodes chiffonieres, chairs and rockers, toilet sets, bench wringer, and many articles too numerous to mention.

You will find this a good lot of furniture, practically all of it being new, and it will be to your advantage to attend this sale if you are looking for a few extra pieces of furniture, as there is no limit on the goods.

TERMS CASH Per order, M. ROCK.

Farm Personal Property, Auction Sale

Tuesday, April 21, 1914, at 1 o'clock P. M., at the late P. G. Collins' Farm, on the Boston Road, Parker Village, Westford, Mass.

To clean up the estate, I will sell at public auction the following personal property: One nearly new Concord wagon, one two-seated canopy top carryall, used but little, one riding sleigh, one-horse farm wagon, wood sleds, manure spreader, mowing machine horse hay rake, hay tedder large field roller, cultivators, harrows, plows, lot of small tools, grindstone, lot of good English hay, lot of good cow manure, and many small tools, harnesses, etc.

There will be some household furniture sold also. One old bureau.

JOHN M. FARRELL, in charge.

WALTER E. GUYETTE, Auctioneer
Office, 53 Central Street, Lowell Mass. Tel. 2415

POSITIVE SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF A TWO STORY TWO TENEMENT HOUSE. BARN AND ABOUT 5000 SQUARE FEET OF LAND, AT NO. 78 17TH STREET, CENTRALVILLE.

ON SATURDAY, APRIL 25, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.

I have instructed the auctioneer to offer at absolute auction sale, this two story, two tenement house and barn, situated about seven minutes' walk from the end of the Christian Hill line of electrics, also about the same distance of the Bridge street and Dracut Centre line. The house contains 12 rooms, six rooms and bath to each tenement, the barn has large stalls and carriage room, the lot has a total area of about 5000 square feet, thus allowing considerable space for garden purposes. The buildings are in very good repair. The tenements are rented and yield an income of $20 per month or $240 per year.

Here is a good chance for anyone to buy a home in a first class neighborhood where he can live in one tenement and rent the other and the rent received will pay the running expenses of both, again he can keep a few hens, or if he so desires he has accommodations for a cow as the barn is ample, also arrangements can undoubtedly be made in the immediate vicinity for pasture purposes.

Terms: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off.

HENRY N. PEABODY.

C. F. KEYES, Auctioneer
OFFICE, OLD B. & M. DEPOT, STOREHOUSE & COMMISSION ROOMS. GREEN STREET. TELEPHONE 1485.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF THE GAUTHIER ESTATE, CONSISTING OF A FOUR-TENEMENT BLOCK, TWO COTTAGES AND ABOUT 5600 SQUARE FEET OF LAND IN ONE PARCEL, SITUATED AT THE CORNER OF ENNELL AND CAROLYN STREET.

SATURDAY, APRIL 25th, AT 3 O'CLOCK

By virtue of a license granted to me by the probate court I shall offer for absolute sale the above property on the premises, on the day and hour advertised, regardless of any condition of the weather.

The Four Tenement House at 33-35 Ennell and 5-7 Carolyn streets, has separate front doors for each tenant, there are three tenements of five rooms each and one of four rooms, toilets on the first floor and gas throughout. The building being located on the corner makes the rooms airy, well lighted and always well rented.

The Cottage at 29 Ennell street consists of five rooms, pantry, back shed and toilet, gas and good yard room. This makes a very cosy little home.

The Cottage at 9 Carolyn street has five rooms and toilet and is very conscientiously laid out.

Now then, the above properties rent for $13 per week or a yearly rental of $676 and they are occupied by good tenants. The fact that it is a corner lot is certainly a great advantage to this property. It is just across the street from the new West Sixth street fire house and convenient to schools, churches and but a short distance across the Aiken street bridge to the mills. Here is a first class investment especially for someone who could occupy one tenement and have the income of the other five. Look this property up as the sale will be absolute to make a settlement of the estate.

Terms: $300 to be paid the auctioneer as soon as struck off. Other terms at time of sale.

ALFRED J. GAUTHIER,
Executor of will of Sinai Gauthier.

LOWELL BOY AT VERA CRUZ

George J. McCarthy Writes of Conditions in Mexico

Says U. S. Sailors are Ready and Anxious to Proceed, if Ordered

GEORGE J. McCARTHY
Photo Taken on Board Battleship Utah at Vera Cruz

Apropos of the near war in Mexico, comes a letter to this city from George J. McCarthy, a Lowell boy, who is a member of the crew of the United States battleship Utah, which is stationed at Vera Cruz. The letter was sent to a cousin here and gives an account of the hostilities in the revolutionary country. It explains how the United States sailors and marines are interested in the movements of the rebels and federals and how anxious some are for a chance to show how well trained the representatives of the Stars and Stripes are for active duty.

The sanguinary fighting, the terrible tortures to innocent women and children, the devastation of valuable properties and many other inhuman acts, have so excited the Americans, that an order to advance would be a welcome command, says the Lowell sailor boy.

Young McCarthy is the son of Mrs. Minnie McCarthy of Tyler street, and he is 20 years old. He enlisted four years ago. He was first sent to a training station remaining the usual one year after which he was transferred to a "real ship." His present term expires in July, but he states that he will reenlist, inasmuch as he desires to take the trip throug the Panama canal.

Owing to the fact that the letter contains considerable personal matter, only parts are published. In opening the young sailor tells how well he is getting along, especially with his work. He is studying wireless telegraphy and is making rapid progress in the art. He hopes that at the expiration of his second term he will be a proficient operator.

When the letter was written the rebels, under Villa and Carranza were having it practically all their own way and the indication were that the federals would be routed out of Torreon. This has been accomplished since.

While the Lowell boy was not on shore at Mexico, his ship, he states, was so near the coast that all on board could hear the roar of the cannon and could see the smoke from the burning buildings vanish in the clouds. "We then realized," the writer states, "that many lives were being crushed out, and that the victors were gathering bodies to be thrown into a ditch or piling them up to be burned like rubbish."

"These are some of the things that were going on only a few miles from us, and it was all that we could do to endure the thoughts of such terrible tortures."

"Many nights we do not sleep a wink, but sit up and listen to the thundering of the cannon and watch the smoke and sometimes the flames leaping from the buildings and lighting up the skies. Such sights and reports send a thrill through us, and many would appreciate an order to land.

"We are well supplied," the letter continues, "and while we do not get the food that is served to us when we are up north or even on a cruise, we are getting enough to eat and are satisfied to remain here, knowing that, if not ordered to the front, we will return and then get the best of everything.

"We have a very congenial crowd on board and when off duty some great events are called off. There are the usual champion pugilists, runners, wrestlers, etc. and they provide us with the entertainments. We also have a band, which furnishes music for our dances.

"Of course, boys dance with boys, but the ones who play the "ladies" interpret their parts in great style. We do the tango, Boston dip and the other new ones and have a few of "our own make," that are never seen in a dance hall.

One paragraph states: "Well, I see Sec. Daniels has issued an order that no liquor will be allowed on board. This will make the officers pick up and take notice. They are the only ones who have it, as the "jackies" never get more than the odor. Some are of the opinion that liquor is served to all the men, but this is not so. The officers, however, do enjoy it at mess, but few to excess. They will miss it though, owing to the fact that they have always had the privilege of using the "fire water."

In another part that the reporter was allowed to copy, the letter reads: "We are planning a great celebration if we get back to port and are saving up for the event. The present indications are that we will have over one thousand dollars for the affair, and if it materializes, I will invite some of my Lowell friends to attend.

If Coffee Don't Agree

Much of today's nervousness, indigestion, languor, kidney and liver trouble, come from indiscretions in eating and drinking, so commonplace that they are seldom considered till Nature pulls one up with a sharp jerk.

More often than is suspected, coffee is the cause of these troubles.

A simple, easy way to discover the real cause and relieve one's self of a lot of discomfort is to quit coffee for ten days and try

POSTUM

This beverage contains none of the coffee drugs (caffeine, tannin, etc.) which are responsible for many human ailments, big and little. Postum is a food-drink made from prime wheat and a bit of molasses. It is pure and contains only the wholesome goodness of the grain.

Postum comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble form. A teaspoonful stirred in a cup of hot water dissolves quickly and makes a most delightful beverage, with cream and sugar added to taste. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

Thousands who have changed from coffee to Postum know

"There's a Reason"

Grocers everywhere sell Postum.

TAKE DYS-PEP-LETS ALONG WITH YOU

It is always a wise thing to carry a box of Dys-pep-lets with you wherever you go. You can get a good-sized box for a quarter from your druggist. To be without such a remedy when the stomach has become sour, or something has been eaten that the stomach cannot digest without help, is to be in an uncomfortable situation, to say the least, and it may become serious.

Dys-pep-lets are pleasant to take, prompt in effect and economical.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending April 18, 1914

LOWELL

John W. Broadbent to George Ashworth, land on Gorham street.

Clarence H. Nelson to William H. Wood et ux., land and buildings on Fort Hill avenue.

Raoul Blonne et ux., to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Boisvert street.

Albert S. Read by mtgee., to Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, land and buildings on Riverside street.

Louis Cayer to Euclide Cinq-Mars, land on Endicott street.

Daniel M. Richardson est., by exor., to Anne R. Talbot, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Anne R. Talbot to Edwin A. Simpson, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Mary A. Richardson, by gdn., to Edwin A. Simpson, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Sarah J. Kilpatrick to Ezra A. Jones land and buildings cor. Rose ave. and West Forrest and Stevens streets.

Arthur Geneau to Arthur O. Montmarquet, et al., land and buildings on Forrest street.

Belvidere Woolen Mfg. Co., Lowell, to S. Parker Bremer, land and buildings cor. Fayette and Chestnut streets.

Ezrel Greenberg to Ike Zelin et ux., land and buildings on Dutton street and passageway.

Corn M. Clough et al., to Henry P. Clough, land and buildings cor. West Tenth and Bridge streets.

Delphine Lapointe by mtgee., to Damas Pelletier, land on Acton street.

Mary Louise Swan Baron to Belizer Roux, land on Methuen street.

Belvidere Woolen Mfg. Co., Lowell, to V. Brooks Stevens, land and buildings on Brown, Howe and Chestnut streets.

Wamesit Power Company to City of Lowell, land on Lawrence street.

Jacob Rogers to City of Lowell, land cor. Wyman and Clitheroe streets.

Sophie Carrier to Louis Cayer, land and buildings cor. White and Dracut streets.

Walter H. McKinnon et ux., to Fred M. Barney, land on School street.

Edward Callahan et al., to Elizabeth Eldridge, land and buildings on Fulton street.

F. J. Van Greenberg to Fanny Finberg, land and buildings on Howard street.

Anthony D. Mitten to John Jarek et al., land on Plain, Houghton and Parker streets.

Arthur M. Bobbins et al., to Edward J. Bobbins et al., land on Sutherland street.

Orange H. Stafford est., by extx. and tr., et al., to Edward J. Bobbins et al., land on Sutherland street.

Oliver H. Coburn commr., to Emma F. Hill, land cor. Humphrey and Willard streets.

BILLERICA

Aaron Adelman to Albertina Ericson, land on Burlington road.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Isidore P. Dube, land on Woodland road.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Jean Baptiste Bissonnette, land on River View avenue.

Carrie C. Corkum to Francis V. Balch's trs., land.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Charles Bruce, land on Pollard street and River View ave.

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Charles S. Dodge to Mary Bollington, land on Railroad street, Dane ave. and Fordway road.

Annie E. Jendricks to Mary D. Doyle, land and buildings on Beacon street.

Arthur A. Jendricks et ux., to Mary D. Doyle, land on Beacon street.

Michael H. McElligott et al., to Cora W. Chute, land on Fairview street.

Barnet M. Hein to Florence M. Ray, land on Pinegrove avenue.

Aaron Adelman to Helen McGibbney, land on Washington avenue.

James E. Burke tr. to Abbie J. McGowan, land at Central Park.

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CARLISLE

Sarah E. Edwards to Alice M. Connolly, land and buildings on road to Billerica.

CHELMSFORD

Wladystow Zablerek to John Jarek, land.

DRACUT

Lucelia A. Willoughby to Clarence C. Hunting, land near Lakeview ave.

Erastus A. Bartlett et ux., to Walarina Norzukevesz, land.

John J. Callery to Erwin W. Scofield et al., land.

John J. Callery to Belle F. Batchelder, land and buildings on Nashua road.

Phoebe Ames to William Tyrell, land cor. Orland and Pleasant streets.

James Stewart Murphy to Frederick E. Brown, land on Jacob street.

Oliver H. Coburn, commr., to Emma F. Hill, land on Bridge street.

TYNGSBORO

Edgar C. Linn et ux., to John J. Hart, land on Willowdale ave.

TEWKSBURY

Grace V. Nickerson to Gladyre G. McVeam, land on Elm street and Glenwood road.

Grace V. Nickerson to Mary Donovan, land cor. Maplewood ave. and Elm street.

James Martin to Bridget Wilson, land at Fairlawn.

Estella H. Richardson to Mary E. Richardson, land on Chandler street.

WESTFORD

George O. Jackson to Alice L. Prescott, land and buildings on Pine street.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton to Merrimac Chemical Co., Woburn, land.

Thomas B. Coolidge et al., to Merrimack Chemical Co., Woburn, land on New Boston street.

Leonardo Candela to Vincent Gingia, land on Ashmont and Marion streets.

Richmond F. Hudson to New England Live Stock company, Peabody, land on Main road from Woburn to Wilmington.

George E. Kane to Margaret Paterson, land at Oakland Park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Frank H. Bell, land on Laurel avenue.

Leslie W. Walker et al., to George Winn, et al., land.

GOV. WALSH AT DEDICATION

ADAMS, April 18.—Gov. Walsh and his staff took part in the dedication of the armory of Company M, Second regiment, last night. The governor formally handed the keys of the building to Capt. J. Tracy Potter of the company after addresses by William B. Plunkett and others.

FINISHING TOUCHES ON RESOLUTE

BRISTOL, R. I., April 18.—The work of rubbing down the bronze hull of the cup defence candidate Resolute with electric buffers, was finished yesterday and the finishing touches will now be given by the crew. Tests which would have just been completed are said to have shown that the rigging of the sloop could stand a strain of 71,000 pounds to the square inch.

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THE GREEK GOOD FRIDAY

Celebrated by Local Colony With Impressive Services—Imposing Procession

According to the Orthodox calendar yesterday was Good Friday and the members of the local Greek colony observed the feast in a very imposing manner last evening, the celebration consisting of a church service and a procession of the Epitaphius, or the bas-relief representation of the body of Christ. The procession was headed by the Sixth Regiment band and in the line of march were about 3000 men, women and children, all carrying lighted tapers. The veterans of the two recent wars served as escorts to the body of Christ while in the rear came the pastor, Rev. Hariton Panogopoulos and the church choir.

The service was held at the Greek Orthodox church in Jefferson street and started at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, when the faithful gathered in the church and for two hours the elaborate ritual was chanted, first by the choir and then by the priest. Shortly before 10 o'clock the procession was started. The Epitaphius was constructed of wood and handsomely decorated with flowers and lighted tapers. It was carried by four men, who alternated with four others after a certain portion of the route had been covered. The bells of the church tolled and the large congregation crossed themseves.

The line formed in Lewis street and the route covered was Jefferson, Market, Adams, Cross, Jefferson and back to the church.

Four times there was a halt during the procession and each time the Kyrie Eleison was chanted by the antiphonal choirs, and occasionally came the soft, deep voice of the priest who told in sorrowful language of the crucifixion of Christ. Then the band played Chopin's Funeral March and the large congregation wended its way through the principal streets of the district. The windows of the Greek homes along the route were ornamented with burning candles and the scene was most impressive. When the congregation returned to the church the service was completed and the faithful approached the Epitaphius. They kissed the wrists and the feet of the symbolic Christ, as well as the places where the spikes had been placed that fastened Him to the cross. And then, piece by piece, the flowers were torn away and were pressed to the lips of the worshippers and taken home.

Today is Holy Saturday and services will be held this evening. The service will begin at 11 o'clock and continue till 2 o'clock tomorrow morning, which will be Easter Sunday. A mass will be celebrated at midnight by the pastor, when the resurrection will be proclaimed and the hymn, "Christ Has Risen," will be chanted by the congregation.

LOWELL PROOF

Should Convince Every Lowell Reader

The frank statement of a neighbor, telling the merits of a remedy,
Bids you pause and believe.
The same endorsement
By some stranger far away
Commands no belief at all.
Here's a Lowell case.
Lowell citizens testifies.
Read and be convinced.

Mrs. Frank E. Laidlaw, 36 Howard street, Lowell, Mass., says: "My kidneys began to trouble me some time ago. My back ached and my body bloated. My hands and feet bloated and I had dizzy spells, during which spots floated before my eyes, causing me much annoyance. I finally got a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills. I have taken about two boxes now and am rapidly approaching a cure."

The above statement must carry conviction to the mind of every reader. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Laidlaw had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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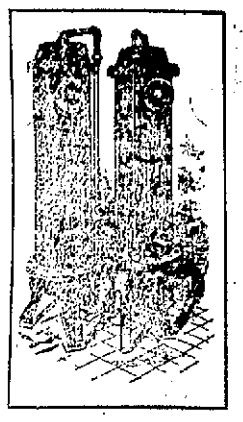

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OUT OF LIGHT AND POWER CO.

PORTLAND, Me., April 18.—It was announced at the offices of the Cumberland Light & Power Co., last night that E. T. Munger had been relieved from duty as general manager. Mr. Munger has been here since February 15. The company controls the trolley lines in Augusta, Lewiston, Portland and Biddeford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Griffin of Monadnock avenue have returned from a pleasant trip abroad in the course of which they visited Holy Land.

Mrs. Charles A. Stott, Mrs. George F. Richardson and the Misses Stott, as well as Hon. and Mrs. Frank W. Howe, have returned from a pleasant stay in the Bermudas.

At the last meeting of the Citoyens-Americains club the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months: President, E. N. Gendron; vice president, Hormisdas Arvisais; secretary-treasurer, Ferdinand Rousseau; recording secretary, Herve Thibault; directors, Treffle Bordeleau, Charles Loupret and Maxime Leplue.

A delightful smoke talk under the auspices of Garde-Sacre-Coeur of Notre Dame de Lourdes' parish was conducted in the parochial school hall last night. The attendance was large and a fine program was carried out. Several bands of whist were played and suitable prizes were awarded the winners. An elaborate musical program was rendered, those taking part being as follows: Louis Boudreau, Alfred and Samuel Renaud, Louis Renaud, M. Beausoleil, Edouard Gaudette, Leo Longtin, George Welch, M. Douville, Henri Guerin and Fred Gregoire. Interesting remarks were made by the chaplain, Rev. J. B. A. Barette, O. M. I., and refreshments were served.

HALT ON HAMMERSTEIN

INJUNCTION FORBIDS PRODUCING OPERA IN BOSTON OR NEW YORK FOR SIX YEARS

NEW YORK, April 18.—Oscar Hammerstein and his son Arthur are restrained from producing either comic or grand opera in Boston and New York until April 26, 1920, according to a decision of the appellate division of the supreme court yesterday.

The complaint against Hammerstein was filed by the Metropolitan Opera company and stated that Hammerstein agreed not to produce opera in Boston or New York for 10 years if the Metropolitan would purchase Hammerstein's Philadelphia opera house for $1,200,000.

Holiday party, Asso. Miner's, tonight.

PSORIASIS ON LEGS, ARMS AND HEAD

Also Back. Would Itch Something Awful and Crack Open, In Morning Bed Full of Scales. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

34 Dudley St., Long Branch, N. Y.—"The psoriasis began with an itching and when I would scratch it, it would burn. I had this for years. It first started with places about the size of a pin-head and then they would keep getting bigger all the time until they reached the size of a half-dollar. If I did not scratch them they would itch something awful and would crack open and bleed. If I would scratch them they would bleed and burn. The first place it would appear would be on the elbows and shins. I remember when I was a small boy it used to come out on my legs then go away and come back again. I had it on my head so badly that I was ashamed to take my hat off anywhere. I even had it coming out on my face. I had the psoriasis on my legs, arms, back and head; there were very few places that I did not have it. I would go to bed at night and in the morning when I would get up the bed would be full of scales.

"I tried several treatments but to no good. They said there was no cure for it. I picked up a paper one day and saw about Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I tried them. I would wash with Cuticura Soap in the morning and after washing I would put the Cuticura Ointment on and I would do the same thing at night before going to bed. I got relief from the start. Now I am cured." (Signed) Jack Miller, July 1, 1913.

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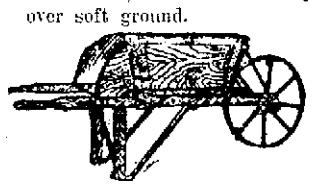

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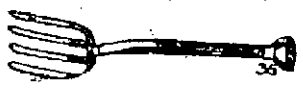

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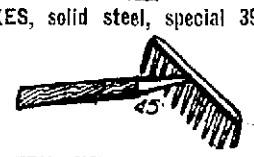

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AMONG THE TOILERS

Jack Demarais is still visiting Dracut street.

The Misses Condon and Carney have returned to work at the Talbot mills.

John O'Neil of the Plumbers' union has moved back to Centralville.

Patrick Sheridan of the Heinze Electric Co. is some comedian.

Miss Lillian Hubbard is the life of the knitting room at the Lawrence hosiery.

Miss Mildred Lawson of the Mohair Plush Co. is spending her spare time taking a commercial course.

Willie Welsh received his Polish neckties for the lowest score in the Y. M. C. I. league.

Harold Wilde of the T. & S. office appeared in his new spring hat Thursday morning.

Dora Ward of the Tremont & Suffolk was selling Herschey's chocolates for charity last week.

Cupid is very busy in the loading room at the U. S. Cartridge shop. Who's next, girls?

The superintendent of the Lowell Felt Co., Mr. Irving Libby, is a busy young man these days.

Miss Florence Bridgeford is now employed at Silesia mills in North Chelmsford.

Organizer Young of the Machinists union left for Providence yesterday on business.

As Monday will be a legal holiday all the mills will close and the operatives will have a chance to rest.

Mr. Daniel Owens has returned to work at the Merrimack mills after a long siege of illness.

Joseph Taft, a prominent young electrician is now employed in the Massachusetts mills store room.

Employes of the velvet room at the Merrimack mills will hold a dance some time this month.

Miss Margaret Conroy has returned to her bench in the Bigelow Carpet mills after a week's illness

Mary and Ella McQuaid of the Ipswich hosiery will spend Patriots' day in Boston.

Miss Etta McPherson, an estimable young woman employed at the Lawrence hosiery, has a prosperous Larkin Soap club in running order.

Miss Mamie Carroll, a talented young lady in the employ of the Boott mills, is taking lessons in dramatic art.

Mr. Leo Murphy of the Bigelow Carpet Co.'s designing room will spend the holidays with his sister in Clinton, Mass.

Miss E. Brissette of the Tremont & Suffolk winding room is organizing a ladies' bowling team to roll the Tar Babies.

The T. & S. bowling team deserves much credit for its excellent work and we hope that McDermott will be captain next year.

Mr. Joseph Wilkes, the prominent bowler of the Bigelow Carpet league, will spend a few days in Worcester with his brother.

Mr. William Caveney, one of the Pony club's famous athletes, greatly enjoys his new position with the Heinze Electric Co.

Alonzo Wyman has taken out an application for a chauffeur's license. He is a popular employe of the Tremont & Suffolk blanket room.

Mr. Thos. Gibbons, chief engineer at the Tremont & Suffolk mills has tendered his resignation to take effect May 1.

Martin Dacey has left the Bigelow Carpet Co. to assume his duties as "chef" at a Norumbega park dining room.

Mr. Thomas Vaughn until recently employed at the Lamson Store Service Co. has accepted a position with the Boston & Maine car shops.

The many friends of Miss Lena Sheehan will be pained to learn that she was taken quite ill Thursday morning while at her work in the Lawrence hosiery.

Miss Agnes Handley, employed in the warp room at the Merrimack mills, is some hand when it comes to preparing salads. The members of the camp know.

Misses Louise Curtis, Sadie Sullivan, May O'Donnell, Gladys Anderson and Nellie O'Donnell made a jolly party in one of the local suburbs Wednesday evening.

William McQuaid, until recently employed at the Boott mills, leaves on Tuesday for Connecticut, where he has been engaged as a steam engineer in a large industry.

The Chickasaw club, a popular club of young men of the Tremont and Suffolk mills, are making preparations for their two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

Fred Boulger, an energetic employe of the Massachusetts mills, will sever his connection with that concern Saturday noon. He has been offered a more lucrative position out of town.

The American Mason Safety Tread Co of Perry St. are to be congratulated upon having such an experienced young man as Mr. Lawrence Martin in their floor laying department.

The friends of Mr. Daniel Cruchman, well known secondhand in the shipping department of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, will be pleased to hear that he is convalescing after a severe attack of grip.

The Talbot mills of North Billerica closed Friday evening and will remain closed until Tuesday. The spinning and carding departments have been running nights to make up for the time that will be lost. The company has considerable orders on hand.

John Armistead, the popular runner in the Tremont & Suffolk office, has severed connection with the office and has accepted a position as an apprentice machinist in the same mill. He will assume his new duties Tuesday morning.

Mr. Gibbons has been connected with the Tremont & Suffolk mills for the past eight years and has a wide knowledge of engineering.

He is held in high esteem by his superiors and all of those connected with him in mill circles.

A prominent labor leader told the story this morning of a local young man who went to Boston to take a boiler examination. He was called into a private room and the first question the examiner asked of him was: What would you do the first thing in the morning on going into the boiler room?" The young man's answer was: "I'd look around to see if any son-of-gun stole my overalls." He was told he could try again in 90 days.

The Tremont & Suffolk bowling team will roll the White Ways for the City's championship and a side bet of $50. Best two out of three games. One game on the White Ways alleys. One on the Crescent and the third on neutral alleys.

These are the terms and if Capt. Cole of the White Ways does not accept, it will show clearly that he fears the T. & S. quintet who are the White Ways' only rivals in the city for the championship.

This offer stands good till Thursday night and if Capt. Cole wishes to show his sporting blood he will accept it.

The Bachelor Girls

These employes of the Lawrence hosiery otherwise known as the "Bachelor Girls" will be the attraction at Keith's theatre, Sunday afternoon and evening. The members of this popular club are: Lena Shea, Marion Nolan, Florence Nolan, Jennie Wynne, Anna McCole, Etta Finnegan, Rose Nicholson, Mary Boyle, Madeline Boland, Julia Boland, Mary King, Kittie King, Katherine Malone, May Gallagher and Lillian McPherson. Miss Lillian McPherson is the leading soprano in the cast and possesses a fine voice.

I. W. W. Meeting Tonight

Joseph H. Downer, of Lawrence, well known in I. W. W. circles, announces that he will hold a mass meeting at city hall steps, this city, at 8 o'clock this evening, for the purpose of discussing the recent cut-down at the Tremont & Suffolk mills. Mr. Downer states that on Thursday evening eight employes of the Tremont & Suffolk were organized as members of the I. W. W. and have asked for a charter.

Fred Tenney a Shoemaker

Fred Tenney of Georgetown, Mass., former first baseman of the Boston National league baseball team and a few years ago manager of the Lowell club in the New England league, is to become a shoe manufacturer in Maine if the board of trade in South Paris will hearken to a proposition put to it by Mr. Tenney and Henry Spinney of Lynn. Negotiations have been pending for some time and will come to a head within a few days. It is expected, whereby the town of Paris will erect a factory 40x150 feet, one story high and exempt it from taxes for a stated period. The firm, it is reported, will turn out about 110 dozen a day and employ 200 people.

St. Ry. Employes

The regular meeting of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes of America was called to order at 8.30 last evening by President Sweeney. The roll call of officers showed the financial secretary, Michael McGrehan absent on account of illness. After all business was transacted by the body two new members, Thomas Malone and John Murphy, were received into the association.

It was voted to change the meeting nights from the first Friday of the month to the first and third Tuesday.

There was also a discussion on wage questions by the different members. Vice President Edward Tucke, Sr., John Garland, Edward B. O'Brien, John Scully and John McDowell addressed the meeting.

Cotton Spinners

The cotton spinners met in their hall in Middle street last evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Denis Reardon; vice president, Joseph Lachappelle; secretary treasurer, J. R. Aston; sergeant-at-arms, Henry Sigman. Much business was transacted and the members elected a committee on arrangements for the "smoker" that will be held in their rooms on next Monday afternoon in commemoration of the founding of the organization which was March 3, 1890. They also appropriated $50 for this purpose. The union then voted $50 to the Pawtuxet Valley union who are out on strike. This money is in addition to a $30 assessment which they pay weekly. Remarks were made by prominent members. The newly elected president is a man of marked personality and a hard worker for the Cotton Spinners' union.

New Bedford Weavers

In this column a few days ago appeared a call for a meeting of the New Bedford weavers' union in which the New Bedford mills were threatened with labor trouble unless certain conditions were changed. The meeting was held this week and the New Bedford Times, reporting it, says:

"For a meeting which was heralded by such an extraordinary call as that which President Tom Thornley and Secretary Francis J. Duffy, Jr., issued last Friday night, the regular session of the Weavers' Protective association in Labor Temple last night was a comparatively tame affair and little outside of routine business was transacted.

Acting on the recommendation made by the committee to which the rules of the textile council was referred a few weeks ago for study, the union formally voted to re-enter that body and President Thornley, Secretary Duffy and two other members were named as delegates.

Not much was said about the grievances referred to in the communication accompanying the call. Secretary Duffy reported that one of the grievances has been satisfactorily adjusted with the manufacturer and that settlements are pending in other cases.

The union adopted a resolution asking that a representative of the Weavers' union be placed on the state board of labor and industries to which John Golden of Fall River has been appointed, because it is claimed by them that more laws relating to the weaving departments of the textile industry are enacted in this state than for any other branch of the industry."

Suit Against Shoe Workers

The petitioners finished their case yesterday with the exception of some documentary evidence which is to be prepared in the equity suit of the Hodgdon-Durand Shoe company of Salem vs. the United Shoe Workers of America which is being heard before Judge D. W. Quill as master at Salem, says the Beverly Times.

"The evidence yesterday was from John Riley, a cutter, who came from Haverhill after the strike was ordered to work in the Hodgdon-Durand factory. He has been a member of the Boot and Shoe Workers union 10 or 12 years, and is a big, husky fellow and said that the first night when he came out from work a crowd blockaded the sidewalk and when he pushed them aside ten or a dozen jumped on him, and, while he got a black eye and a swollen ear he 'did the best he could' A couple of nights later he started out with West, and a crowd of 150 to 200 followed them. He heard some one say get the big husky, and turned around and saw Meagher in the crowd and some one hit West over the head with a club—he did not see the blow but heard the club fall on the sidewalk and picked it up and saw a man running away. He admitted he was a little scared, but returned to work the next day although he had been followed by the crowd to his lodging place and they had talked of killing. He had seen Anna Guy in the vicinity of the factory and she had called scab.

"On cross examination, witness was asked if he would run away from a fight today and replied, 'Not so you would notice it.' Asked if he didn't swagger back and forth on Canal street with his corncob pipe in his mouth, he laughed and said he didn't need a permit to smoke on the street. Wasn't you looking for trouble? No. Haven't you gone around asking if anybody wanted to take anything out of a scab? No.

"Witness said he belonged to the local 181 in Haverhill, having been transferred from Brockton last fall, and was in good standing."

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ANNUAL CONCERT AND DANCE A GREAT SUCCESS—ENJOYED BY 700 PEOPLE

There was a large gathering at St. Patrick's parochial school hall last night, and of course there was a reason, for the members of the sanctuary choir of the church conducted their sixth annual entertainment and dance. The affair was one of the most successful ever conducted and reflected much credit on the organizers, Rev. Bro. Idlephonse, who had charge of the entertainment, and Charles N. Sladen of Boston, who directed the musical numbers.

A feature of the evening was the two sketches so ably presented, "Wanted, a Confidential Clerk," and "A Thief in the House." Each sketch had considerable merit to it and the various characters were interpreted in a manner that reflected very creditably on those included in the casts.

The chorus numbers by the sanctuary choir composed of 75 voices were also very pleasing and the boys were forced to respond to several encores. The duet numbers by William Chandler and Peter Kane were also well rendered and highly appreciated by the audience.

The full program of the evening was as follows:

Overture, "Sons of Erin," orchestra; chorus, "Millie's Wooing," sanctuary choir; farce, "Wanted a Confidential Clerk," cast, Jonathan Dobbs," a shipping agent, Edward J. O'Neil; "John McCormack," a Hibernian, James J. Molloy; "Horatio Lushington," who has seen better days, Cornelius M. Clohecy; "Charles Valentine" who has a great idea of his own importance, Martin E. Clough; "Dick Sharp," a loquacious individual, James F. Nelligan; "Harry Dallon," of quiet habits, John A. O'Brien; soprano solo, "I've Seen the Swallows Pass Me By," William Chandler; interlude, "Ivresse," orchestra; Comedy, "A Thief in the House," cast; "Jack Morris" and "Tom Parker," students, roommates, John F. Stapleton and James S. King; "Jerry Sharp," from New York, Edw. J. Nelligan; "Aunt Carrie," a colored servant, Edw. J. Flannery; "Ike Cohen," a suspicious character, Daniel A. Powers; messenger boy, Raymond A. O'Brien; duet, "Over the Hill, Over the Dale," Peter Kane and William Chandler; recitation, "Pindrig Crohore," Cornelius M. Clohecy; chorus, "When My Ship Comes Over the Sea," sanctuary choir; march, "Diversion," orchestra.

At the conclusion of the entertainment, general dancing was in order, music being furnished by Sheehan's orchestra. The officers of the evening were: General manager, Michael J. Coyle; assistants, Joseph Dineen and Peter Gill; floor director, James F. Nelligan; assistant floor director, Frederick Kelley; chief aids, Eugene J. Dean, James A. Ryan; aids, Edw. J. O'Neil, Daniel A. Powers, Edw. J. Flannery, James S. King, John A. O'Brien, John J. Keefe, Arthur T. Couley, John T. Powers, James J. Flannery, Thomas F. Dean, Edw. J. Nelligan, Michael F. Doherty, John F. Stapleton, James J. Molloy, John J. Gardon, George A. Tobin, Edw. A. Keleher, Edw. B. Connolly, George B. Morris and Albert Ducey.

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THE BOOTT MILLS

Intend to Increase Capital Stock to $1,700,000

For several years the Boott mills have been considering the capitalizing of improvements in machinery, power, etc., and an examination of the physical property has been made at the request of the directors by Mr. A. G. Cumnock, treasurer of the Appleton mills. The Boott has been rehabilitating itself for several years by installing new machinery and changing the power. The plant is a big one and is run today almost entirely by electric drives. At a recent meeting of the stockholders it was decided to engage Mr. Cumnock to make a physical examination of the property with the purpose in view of increasing the capitalization from $1,000,000 to probably $1,600,000 or $1,700,000. Mr. Cumnock has made the examination but has not yet reported to the directors.

The fact that Mr. Cumnock and his son who represents a New York selling house paid one or more visits to the Boott mills a week or so ago the report went out that Mr. Cumnock was going to purchase the plant and it wasn't known if he was purchasing it for himself and son or for the New York selling house. The fact remains, however, that he was simply making a physical examination of the property.

SUES B. & M. R.R.

Rob't F. Curran of Westfield, New Jersey, asks $300,000

BOSTON, April 18.—A suit against the Boston & Maine Railroad Co. for $300,000 was entered today by Robert F. Curran of Westfield, N. J., who holds $210,000 of the company's notes. The company's real estate was attached by the plaintiff.

The suit is one of several instituted by holders of a note issue which matured Feb. 3, when most of the noteholders agreed to an extension of time.

THE PORTLAND FANCY

AND NOT THE ONE-STEP KILLED SCITUATE TAX COLLECTOR AND VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR

SCITUATE, April 18.—Fenton W. Varney, tax collector and veteran of the Civil war, dropped dead of apoplexy shortly after 10 last evening while dancing the Portland fancy in the Scituate Women's club.

Mr. Varney, who was 70 years old, attended the concert of the Wollaston Glee club with his wife. When he dropped to the floor Dr. E. R. Johnson, a member of the Glee club, rushed to his side, but found the man lifeless.

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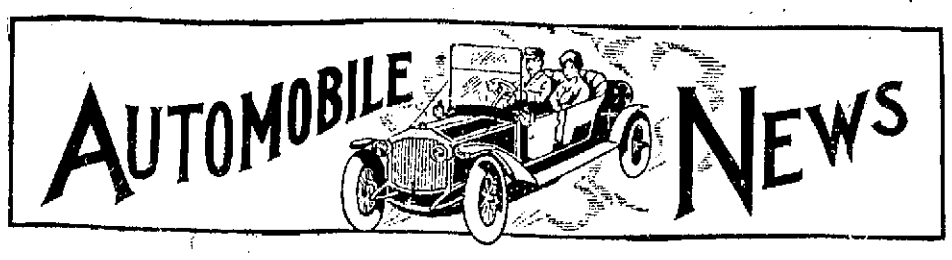

AUTO DEALERS HAPPY

Report Many Sales Despite the Inclement Weather—Anticipate a Busy Season

Although the weather conditions for the past week have been such as to retard all but the most determined buyers it is universally stated by local automen that they have been doing a whirlwind business despite the fact that it is a little early for the season proper. From this it may be gleaned that this year bids fair to be a record-breaker in the automobile industry. At every garage and auto mart may be seen well pleased looks on the faces of the owners. This favorable condition amid such untoward circumstances should give rise to the thought "Why this flourishing trade?" There is but one answer. The local dealer, always anxious to please and give satisfaction, and anticipating the desires and wants of their customers, have in stock the cars and accessories which will meet the demands even of the most fastidious.

Boston Supply Co.

Wow! what a busy day at the Boston Supply Co. on Bridge street! The writer dropped in this morning for his usual chat with genial Joe McGarry, but was fated to meet with disappointment. Everywhere there was the sound of moving feet, the clanking or wares and demands for tires. Now, don't think that Joe didn't want to chat but there was no time for it as customers wanted this, that or some other equipment and Joe was on the spot and had the goods to do it. When asked what was his big seller in tires, he replied with that captivating and inimitable smile, "They're all going fine but I'm dealing out 'Goodrich's' as you'd deal out cards. Never saw anything like it," Joe added, enthusiastically. And here is the secret of Joe's remarkable success, a mixture of enthusiasm keen business ability, cheerfulness and a comprehensive and extensive supply of high class and up-to-date auto goods. This is why those who trade with him once come again and again and bring others with them.

At Mark McCann's

Mr. Mark McCann of Gorham street states that he has been making numerous sales on bicycles besides doing well with motorcycle sales, thus showing the steady and continued demand for wheels. Mr. McCann recently secured a service bicycle which has a large wicker basket attached to the frame of the machine, just behind the handle-bars. It is proving very satisfactory in the delivery of small bundles as quite a number of parcels can be carried at one time. Mr. McCann recently sold one to the New York Cloak & Suit Co. Sullivan's market also bought a similar machine of this popular salesman.

Lowell Buick Co.

Mr. Hale of the Lowell Buick Co. states that sales have been tremendous; that up to date they have done more business than was accomplished by that firm during the entire past year. The Lowell Buick Co. has recently delivered a six-cylinder Buick car to Mr. P. Goldman of Dutton street and Mr. Daniel H. Walker of Dutton street. Buick models 25 and 26, roadster style, are selling at a five per cent. premium. So popular are they that none can be obtained in Boston.

Mr. Chandler Busy

Mr. Chandler is glad to inform his large clientele of customers that he has added to his force Mr Taylor as foreman, formerly with the Packard people in Boston, and Mr. Goyette, who was previously with the Lozier company, of Boston. Mr. Chandler feels able to assure his trade that he can take care of their orders with promptness and satisfaction.

A. H. Mitchell of the Mitchell Boys' school of North Billerica has just purchased a Buick roadster, Mr. Pitt supplied the accessories.

Hovey Auto Livery

A. B. Hovey of the Hovey Auto Livery reports a fine business during the past week. His cars are going day and night, giving satisfaction every trip and as yet he has his first complaint to come. Mr. Hovey has several weddings booked for next week. He stands for safety and comfort and this he gives in the fullest measure. Early orders will help Mr. Hovey to serve your needs, no matter how immediate.

Pitts Auto Supply

Harry Pitts of Pitts Auto Supply house in Hurd street has just received $20,000 worth of tires. He believes that his business, steady at all times, warrants such an order. Both Mr. Pitts and "Jimmie" Boland are delighted at the insistent demand for Patterson tires, a home industry, which is gaining in popularity. Mr. Pitts has a varied supply of gaskets which, he says, cannot be duplicated either in quantity or sizes, north of Boston.

Donovan Harness Co.

Donovan Harness Co. at 109 Market street, is proving to be a mecca for all those desiring auto tops and the like, and also a proper and suitable adjustment of the same.

A Lowell Invention

No little comment has been aroused among local automobile enthusiasts especially Ford owners, over an invention which is the result of the cleverness of Claude Winters, a Lowell man, formerly with the Heinze Electric company. This invention, known as the Lindar Vibrator, is especially designed for the Ford car. It guarantees easier cranking and more power.

One of the features of this vibrator is a long range of adjustment and it has an excellent sychronism which gives exactly the same condition of ignition in all four cylinders. Hence more power is obtained from the engine since there is no chance of any one cylinder operating with a weaker or inharmoninus ignition. As this vibrator produces a hot lively spark cranking a car equipped with one of these wonderful little vibrators ceases to be labor.

The Stanley Coal and Transportation Co. has purchased of Jos. Parmentier, 441 Moody street a Harley Davidson motorcycle 2 speed twin and side car for use in the service station of their automobile department.

Mr. Joseph Parmentier has recently sold Harley Davidson motorcycles to Mr. Michael Fleming, 139 Cross street, and Mr. W. E. Ballinger of North Chelmsford.

Joseph Parmentier, agent for the Harley Davidson motorcycle, Michael Fleming, Napoleon Genest, Harold McKnight and W. E. Ballinger started at 9.30 this morning from Park Square, Boston, for Worcester and return.

Charlie Hogue started this morning on his 6 h. p. Thor motorcycle for Bridgewater Ct., a distance of 305 miles. He expects to arrive at his destination this evening.

DEATHS

DUNLAVEY—Alice Margaret Dunlavey, the infant daughter of Michael and Nora Dunlavey, died yesterday afternoon at their home, 50 South Whipple street, at the age of 1 year and 4 months. She is survived, besides her parents, by three brothers, George, Frank and Joseph Dunlavey, and by two sisters, Isabelle and Mary Dunlavey.

MERRILL—The secretary of the Lowell lodge of Elks has received a communication from Polson, Montana, announcing the death of Frank M. Merrill, a former resident of this city. Mr. Merrill at one time conducted the Merrill House in Tyngsboro and was widely known here 15 years ago. Authorities at Polson ask instructions as to the disposition of the body, and Sec. Hogan is in search of information that will put him in touch with relatives of the dead man.

DODGE—Miss Elsie P. Dodge, formerly of Blue Hill, Me., and a well known resident of this city, died at her home, 143 Grove street, yesterday, lacking one day of 52 years. She is survived by one sister, Miss Nellie A. Dodge, and one brother, W. E. Dodge, both of this city.

McCARRON — Michael McCarron died this morning at St. John's hospital after a short illness of ten days, with pneumonia. He leaves to mourn his loss three brothers, Patrick, Anthony and Joseph, all of this city. The body was removed to the home of his brother Anthony at 142 Concord street.

CASHMAN—Daniel Cashman, an old resident of the Navy Yard, Dracut, died this morning at the home of his son, Michael Cashman, 72 Fulton street, after a lingering illness. Mr. Cashman was a devout attendant of St. Michael's church for many years and a member of the Holy Name society. He is survived by one son, Michael, with whom he made his home, and two daughters, Mrs. George Burns and Mrs. Peter Lynch.

McCLUSKEY—Hugh McCluskey died this morning at the Chelmsford Street hospital. He is survived by one daughter. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers C. H. Molloy.

The deceased also leaves two daughters, Annie and Mary, and a brother, Frank.

FUNERALS

OLSEN—The funeral services of Nils Olsen were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 2 Puffer street and were largely attended. Rev. J. E. Dinsmore, assistant pastor of the First Baptist church, and Rev. A. Berggren, pastor of the Norwegian Methodist church, conducted the services. There was singing by Mrs. William H. Pepin and Miss Vivian Cowan who sang "We'll Never Say Goodbye," "When the Mists Have Rolled Away" and "Christian's Good Night." The flowers were many and beautiful, including a pillow inscribed 'Husband and Father" from the family, and other tributes from Mrs. Grimsett, Mr. and Mrs. P. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hansen and Miss Gunda Olsen; Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Severson, Mr. Bjorke and Mr. and Mrs. O. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Haavle, Mr. and Mrs Nils Enger, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Olsen and Mr. and Mrs. Kristian Myhr, telephone girls, Mary F. Drum and Frank Drum, the Bakke children, George Topjian, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Anderson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilkins, Mrs. H. L. Tibbetts, Y. P. C. E. of First Baptist church, Rostlers, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley, Amoma class of the First Baptist church. The bearers were Charles Anderson, Martin Grimsett, Geo. Topjian and John Lund, a delegation from local 85, Iron Moulders' union of North America. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Dinsmore and Rev. Mr. Berggren. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

HORAN—The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Horan took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, No. 8 L street. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Dennis Murphy. The floral offerings were from Mr. and Mrs. Lambert and Mr. W. Shapson, the Celtic Associates, Irish National Brotherhood, a friend. The bearers were Messrs John Dorsey, Malachy Tierney, John Hunt and John T Shea. There was a delegation from the Celtic Associates, consisting of the following members Mr. Martin Larney, Mr. George W. Cahill and Mr. James Waterson. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Murphy read the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

MASSON—The funeral of Mrs Joseph Masson took place this morning from her home, 12 Smith street. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at Notre Dame de Lourdes church at 9 o'clock, the officiating clergyman being Rev. J. B. A. Barrette, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Magnan, O. M. I. of Quebec as deacon and Rev. Jos. Magnan, O. M. I., of this city as subdeacon. The bearers were Jas. Gauthier, John Martel, Charles Laroche, Delphis Mallory. There was a profusion of floral offerings. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Joseph Magnan O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Jos. Albert.

ELA—The funeral of Rev. Walter Ela, who died April 14, at his home in Pascoag, R. I., took place yesterday from the Laurel Hill Methodist church of that city, and was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Scribner officiated and there were many beautiful flowers. The body was brought to this city in the afternoon and burial took place in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery, where Rev. L. C. Wright, pastor of the Melrose Methodist church of Melrose, read the committal service. Undertaker William H. Saunders had charge.

McQUADE—The funeral of the late Andrew F. McQuade took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 7 Auburn street and was largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem was sung by Rev. W. George Mullin. Among the floral tributes was a pillow inscribed "Husband and Father," from the family. Others who sent tributes were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cronin, Philip Smith, Smith family, Mr. and Mrs. D. J Cooney and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carr, Local 190, Brewery Workers, and Mrs. Edward Johnston. Mr. Edward Finnegan and Joseph Kennedy. The bearers were John Day, Edward Carr, representing the Brewery Workers; Joseph Egan and Philip Smith. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Mullin. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons had charge.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DUNLAVEY—The funeral of Mary Dunlavey will take place Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home of her parents, 50 Whipple street. Burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker J. J. O'Connell has charge of the funeral.

SDOUKOS—The funeral of Nicholas J. Sdoukos will take place this afternoon from the chapel of C. H. Molloy in Market street. The body will be sent to Manchester, N. H., where the burial will take place tomorrow afternoon from his home, 74 Spruce street, in charge of C. H. Molloy.

DODGE—Miss Elsie P. Dodge, formerly of Blue Hill, Maine, and a well known resident of this city, died at her home, 143 Grove street, early yesterday morning, aged 52 years, yesterday being her birthday. She is survived by one sister, Miss Nellie A. Dodge of this city and one brother, W. E. Dodge, also of this city. The funeral services will be held from her late residence, No. 143 Grove street, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

McCLUSKEY—The funeral of Hugh McCluskey will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral chapel of Undertaker C. H. Molloy on Market street. A funeral high mass will be sung at the Sacred Heart church, time to be announced later. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of C. H. Molloy.

CASHMAN—The funeral of the late Daniel Cashman will take place on Monday morning at 8.45 o'clock from the home of his son, 72 Fulton street. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9.30 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Joseph's cemetery, Amesbury, Mass. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

McCARRON—The funeral of Michael McCarron will take place Monday morning from the home of his brother, 142 Concord street. A funeral mass will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9.15. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge. It was the last wish of the deceased to send no flowers.

MEXICAN SITUATION

Continued

FLEET WILL STAY IN MEXICAN WATERS UNTIL SALUTE TO FLAG IS FIRED

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Upon word from Huerta depended vital developments in the Mexican situation today. The United States had rejected Huerta's repeated suggestion for a simultaneous salute: Naval officers say that under naval precedent salutes are returned only after the party apologizing for an offense finishes firing. Administration officials contend that no recognition, tacit or otherwise of the Huerta government, is involved in the return salute.

This was the status of the situation early today. Word from Huerta of his final acceptance of the American conditions was hourly expected and there was a prediction expressed in many official quarters that it would be given and the incident ended. There were those, however, and especially in congressional circles who thought Huerta would attempt further to delay the issue.

The Atlantic fleet will not be called back until the salute is actually fired. It is practically certain that serious consequences will follow any refusal by Huerta to accede to the American demand as outlined in the final messages yesterday. President Wilson has told members of the two congressional committees in charge of foreign affairs that he has given Huerta a reasonable time to comply. This is taken to mean that parleys can continue only until the Atlantic fleet arrives, which is expected to be on Tuesday or Wednesday.

PATRIOTS DAY

Continued

until Tuesday morning. The banks will also be closed Monday, and the leading department stores will be closed for the day. The mail carriers will make one delivery in the morning, while the postoffice will be open from 8 to 10 a. m.

Baseball Season Opens

Patriots day will also mark the opening of the baseball season in this city and, accordingly, there will be two games, one in the forenoon and the other in the afternoon. If the weather is favorable, it is believed that the fans at Spalding park will be numerous.

There will be a number of social events in the afternoon and evening, and the local theatres have special programs for the day. In the evening it is believed that a number of Lowell sports will journey to Lawrence, where some of the local pugilists will give an exhibition in the down-river city arena.

French Volunteer Brigade

The local guards of the French-American Volunteer Brigade of the United States will also journey to Lawrence, where a parade and military contest will be held. The parade will be in the forenoon, while the military maneuvers will take place in the afternoon.

U. S. Bunting Club

The members of the Bunting club have arranged for a soccer game in the afternoon and a concert at night. The entertainment committee has charge of the concert arrangements and the members of this popular organization will be given a real treat in the musical line.

Cotton Spinners Celebrate

The cotton spinners are going to observe the day with a smoker in their rooms in Middle street. The affair will be held in the afternoon and will be in connection with the anniversary of the founding of the organization.

At the local armory the militiamen will spend the day in bowling, basketball and other athletics. There will also be a shooting contest between the members and it is fair to assume that the armory will be a lively place all day Monday.

Spanish War Veterans

A number of the militiamen, who are members of the Spanish War Veterans will leave tomorrow evening for Haverhill, where the annual convention of the organization opened today. The Lowell men are going especially to attend what is known as the Snake service, which will start at 12.02 o'clock Monday morning. This will consist of jollifications and according to the program a lively time is in store for those who attend.

Track Meet

The annual grammar school track meet, held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., will be run off at the South common track at 9.30 o'clock in the morning. The usual list of track and field events will be open for competition by all members of Lowell grammar schools.

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REPORTED AUTO STOLEN

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That the automobile plays an important part in the every day life of an automobile owner and who, if dependent on it even for a short time, misses it greatly, is well illustrated by the following incident:

A certain attorney of Detroit, Mich., is undergoing much joshing by his friends as a result of an amusing episode that occurred last week.

It seems he is a motor enthusiast from the drop of the hat, in fact, has driven cars for years. Every day, rain or shine, it has been his custom to drive to his office in his Regal coupe and the story starts at the time he set out for home the other night and found his car had disappeared.

A search throughout the neighborhood failed to reveal the missing car and in desperation he hied himself to the police station and reported the theft.

All evening he waited hopefully for the expected message that would tell him the car had been found where some joy-riders had left it. He fussed and fumed and hoped it would not be seriously damaged, but no word came.

In the morning the report from the police was not encouraging, nothing having been seen of a deserted Regal coupe, bearing his license number. An adv. was then placed in the papers offering a substantial reward for the return of the car.

All that day he looked for news concerning the car, and the next and the next, but not a clue was found. The car had completely disappeared.

On the fourth day hope was vanishing. That evening he was discussing the matter with his wife when she asked him to get something from the garage that he had taken there some days previous. Upon entering the building he was astonished to behold the coupe standing in its accustomed place. Then the light dawned.

The day the car was 'stolen" he had gone to his daily labors via the street car as he had found his supply of gasolene to be nearly exhausted. He intended having some sent up to the house during the day, but had forgotten it entirely.

The long habit of driving to and from his office had become so fixed that he had unconsciously looked for the car on coming out of the office that night and upon not finding it in its usual place at the curb had believed it stolen.

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PATRIOTS DAY

It seems to be a fact—though a regrettable one—that as years pass on, special days set aside by the state are being regarded more and more as mere periods of rest from workday tasks, unrelated to the ancient deeds that give them their name and their significance. The people are as patriotic as ever and just as really devoted to the history and the ideals of their government as at any period in its history, but the annual recurrence of state holidays tends to remove from them their glamor, and unfortunately there are scores who, while they know that there will be a holiday on a certain date, cannot give the name of the holiday in question and have but a shadowy notion of what it commemorates.

The holiday which will be officially celebrated on Monday next is one that appeals especially to the young—and all Americans should feel young in dwelling on the facts of the great war of independence. Who is there that has not at some time played "Americans and British" when some convenient yard furnished a miniature Concord and Lexington, and sundry attics supplied the three-cornered hats and the other parts of the respective costumes of 1775? Surely in all the range of childish heroes no characters shine out with brighter attributes of loyalty, courage and transcendant patriotism than do the minutemen of Concord who paid back the soldiers of King George for many indignities suffered patiently, of which the attack on Captain Parker and his brave band on Lexington common was not the least. And where is the equal of Paul Revere, who in the imagination of our young patriots must always mount again to the Boston spire on April 19th, hang out his warning signal and then gallop madly through the surrounding country calling on the farmers to meet the British at Concord.

These things are long past and the echoes of the shot fired by "the embattled farmers" are silent, but the great American Union founded with such grim determination comes down to us unchanged in principle. Darker days than the days of 1775 at Concord and Lexington have come and gone; those who then fought against a common foe afterwards fought among themselves; times came when it was more difficult to tell who were the rebels and who were the enemy. But the flag which waved victoriously on April 19, 1775, has waved victoriously ever since and has not known defeat. We may deserve the accusation of being a nation of traders and merchants, in part, but we are not yet blind to the lessons of Concord and Lexington and we are readily thrilled by a recital of the deeds of those whom we honor on Patriots day.

From 1775 to 1914 seems a long time, but it is very short in the life of a nation. Generations have come and gone and the bones of Paul Revere have long ago crumbled to dust but the old church in Boston still stands as it stood when the warning light flashed out from its belfry, and one can easily recall the revolutionary days in the dreamy calm of Concord and Lexington. Not many years ago it was the custom for the heads of families to gather their children together and drive over the roads in the bracing spring air to the scene of the battles that ended by the retreat of the British to Charlestown neck, but the automobile, the moving picture craze, and possibly a less intense feeling of devotion to things patriotic, have injured this fine old custom, too good to be entirely abandoned. If there were no historic memories connected with the spots so eagerly visited in former years, the natural beauty of the scenery would amply repay a visit, but who is there that does not feel a better American after viewing the ground hallowed by the blood of those who fought for home and country and all things sacred in the glorious days of 1775. Concord visited and revisited should be the centre of a host if memories linked together by each succeeding Patriots day. And on Patriots day let it be remembered that Lowell has a special duty to perform in honoring the proto martyrs of the Civil war, the illustrous Ladd, Whitney and Taylor, who gave their lives on the streets of Baltimore on April 19. The bodies of two of these heroes are interred at Monument square and the memory of their heroism reflects credit on the name of our beloved city.

A PRELIMINARY CLEAN-UP

Now that April 18, 19, and 20 have been set aside as a preliminary to the real clean-up week which will begin on May 2nd, there is no reason why all the citizens of Lowell should not co-operate in removing the source of much civic and private uncleanness and removing also many causes of contagion, incidentally aiding the work of fire prevention. Scarcely a home of the city but has its accumulation of winter rubbish in cellar, alleyway or attic, and no one would be the loser if this rubbish were collected for the next few days and piled up in the ash barrels or even beside them on the sidewalk for the city to remove and to dispose of. The readiness with which people respond to the preliminary invitation will typify the amount of good to be done by the following clean-up campaign, for the city can do absolutely nothing in this respect without the fullest co-operation among the citizens.

Though the greatest necessity for municipal activity in all that relates to cleanliness and general sanitation obtains in the more congested districts, the clean-up call cannot be ignored in any section. Sidewalks, alleys, yards, gardens, trees and shrubs call for attention in the best regulated neighborhoods and even the heart of the business section has many evidences of remediable neglect. There are many advertising signs, for instance, that have outlived their usefulness and that now offend by their run-down appearance. In other places the hose might be played with advantage.

The worst places are those nooks and crannies the care of which does not seem to be anybody's business, but which might easily give rise to diseases that would be everybody's business. Householders and property owners will find a thousand and one things to claim their attention if they set out, as they ought, to do their share in making Lowell a lovelier and a more healthful city. Let us be sure that Lowell is clean before we make any extravagant claims to beauty. The remedy is at hand. Let us avail ourselves of it.

CROWDED STREET CARS

For the first time a bill is before the Massachusetts legislature aiming at the prevention of overcrowding in street cars by making it unlawful for the company to take on more passengers than 50 per cent. over their regular seating capacity. This would still leave room for a mild crush but it would do away with the sardine box conditions which have become a feature of street railway traffic on rainy days and when there is a double header on at the ball park. Indeed, on some lines overcrowding is the usual condition at certain hours daily such as in those evening hours when the workers are returning to their homes. The local officials of the Bay State company are making commendable efforts to remedy this condition, but so flagrant are conditions in some places that the passing of the above-mentioned bill or a similar one is fairly probable.

Though there is a limit to what street cars can comfortably carry and though this limit is frequently overtaxed there are many abuses regarding overcrowding in cars, for which the public is as much to blame as the transportation company. Who does not know the individual that persists in standing in the vestibule whether there are vacant seats or not? Others will stand just within the door, making regrettable conditions still more intolerable by ignoring the "move up front, please" of the conductor and making the life of the last addition to the jammed mass anything but pleasant. The company is confronted with many real problems of importance, but it cannot be blamed for many side issues of overcrowding which are due to the unreasonableness of the public. Nevertheless, the bill now in the legislature would tend to a public relief that is much needed in some quarters.

TAXING BACHELORS

Though the legislative committee on taxation did not dwell very seriously a few days ago on the proposal to tax all bachelors of the state over 35 years of age $5.00 annually, the proposed bill serves to call attention to the apparently growing number of young men who either deliberately choose a single lot in life or else postpone their marriage till long after the taxable age. Probably there is one reason which would apply to all equally, but the fact remains that the financial considerations of marriage are far harder to meet now than they were in the times of our grandfathers. Then, people were apt to regard the marriage day as the end of their times of frivolity; they settled down to save money and lived in the pleasures of their children. At present grandmothers are going to tango dances and there are few up-to-date wives who do not want to attend the theatre continually and who do not look forward to owning a new spring bonnet as eagerly as their unmarried neighbor. But some young men have grown selfish and there are not many of them willing to make the sacrifices that marriage would entail for most. A preacher gave another aspect of the case in a local church recently when he showed that many spend weekly in barrooms and pool rooms more than would establish them in married life, lamenting the while that they are not able to afford marriage. Taxation would not remedy matters but there are many bachelors who richly deserve it.

REGARDING TAX INCREASES

What other cities and other city officials think of increases in the tax rate of their respective communities differs quite considerably from the impression which the members of our present city government strive to give regarding the raise of $2.20 in the Lowell tax limit. Mayor Timothy W. Good of Cambridge who was a shouter for economy comes out in the strongest condemnation of a bill now in the legislature which would entail a raise of $1.33 in the tax rate of that city. He calls such a bill "suicidal," and says that such an increase in the tax rate would "kill" the city, both residentially and as a growing business centre. Evidently the new mayor of Cambridge does not consider a tax increase a necessary foundation for alleged municipal economy. His warning comes too late to be of much benefit to us but it emphasizes the fact that a low rate is one of the most desirable attributes of any city. On the contrary a high tax rate kills enterprise and brands the community bearing it with the stigma of inefficient government. With a tax rate of $22 or over real estate will be a drug on the market; every owner of tenement property will want to sell.

FIRING THE SALUTE

True to his craft and resourcefulness Huerta now strives to gain time in the Mexican situation by parleying for conditions which this country certainly will not grant. His latest request is that the United States should alternate with Mexico in firing the salute to both flags, thus removing from the Mexican salute the appearance of the apology which this government intends it to be. Huerta evidently counts on the apparent indecision that made America over patient through past insults, but he presumes too far. All indications point to determination on the part of America which has taken the first step in what may lead to armed intervention if the brazen dictator of the south does not abandon his clever subterfuge. Huerta is playing with danger both at home and abroad and the time may not be far distant when he will need Vera Cruz and Tampico as ports of embarkation. Better that he should salute the Stars and Stripes at once than that he face a United States blockade with the rebels under Villa pressing at his heels with a desire to avenge Madero in their hearts.

The news of another apartment house fire in New York, with 11 deaths, following so speedily on the destruction of the Boston Melvin with its death toll of eight, should arouse the authorities in both cities and in all cities to the dangers of modern construction with its veneer and its shoddy and its evasion of building and fire laws.

One would not blame Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald, in view of the provocation he has received, if he launched out with more force against the "two lovely berries moulded on one stem." To blame the past for the faults of the present is an evident temptation to all officials, but fortunately most of them resist it.

Now that the park department is forced to abandon the West Centralville playgrounds, the people of that section will remember "what might have been" had the present government approved of the purchase of the river bank park which would have given the people there, old and young, a permanent park.

The store window displays in the principal Lowell streets make one wonder why some people still insist on going to Boston to make purchases. Not only have we the latest in style at home, but, just as important, we have the lowest in price.

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These are happy days with the Middlesex county commissioners, I am told. All are republicans, but two hold to "settled conditions," and regard the third as a rank outsider, simply because they had nothing to say in the matter of his election. Chairman Gould of the commission recently referred to Mr. Barlow, the Lowell member of the triumverate, as the most persistent office-seeker he had ever known. It is evident that Uncle Levi's classical education didn't include the Odes of Horace, lest he would recall the celebrated lines: "Nosce te ipsum," which in plain United States means, "Know thyself." If Uncle Levi ever gets to know himself he'll become acquainted with a man who for persistency in seeking office has poor Barlow looking like a lush-leaguer. Mr. Gould has been in public life since 1865 and nothing deemed, he's going to run again this fall. But, among others, who believe that Mr. Gould having given about half a century of his valuable services to public life should be permitted to spend his declining days in luxurious ease, is one Major Fred P. Barnes of Newton. I don't know at what weight he fights, or whom he ever licked or where he got his title, but he's Major Barnes, and he's a republican born and bred, and not afraid to do battle with Uncle Levi. The progressives undoubtedly will have a candidate in the field again and with more hope than ever before the democrats will present a candidate. At this end of the county Hon. John T. Sparks, of this city is being talked up as the most likely democratic candidate but the popular ex-senator isn't any too favorably impressed with the idea at this writing. When actively in politics John T. had them all beaten as a vote-getter. In the other end of the county, the democrats are talking up Senator Charles F. McCarthy of Marlboro. Senator McCarthy is at present serving his third term in the senate after five years in the house. While in the house a few years ago he collaborated with Erson R. Barlow on the latter's famous corporation franchise tax-bill which eventually became law. It would seem that fate had a hand in the naming of the venerable county commissioner, for "Levi" of the new testament was a publican or tax-gatherer, or in other words an office-holder.

Ambulance Service

Just because the new pulmotor didn't answer the purpose for which it was invented upon the occasion of its first application in this city is no evidence that it is a worthless thing. Perhaps it was not applied until the victim of the accident was beyond human aid, as is often the case at the hospitals where people are brought while breathing their last with the expectation that the hospital authorities can perform miracles. But the pulmotor will never be of any great benefit to the community unless there is somebody around who can use it when it is needed. The Sun recently stated that City Physician Tighe had instructed the ambulance physicians in its use and since then it has been suggested to me that the city physician instruct the ambulance drivers in the use of the pulmotor, inasmuch as the drivers appear to be the surgeons in a majority of cases. Of course the pay of an ambulance surgeon is not such as to warrant him giving his entire time to the job, but with two such faithful men as Dr. Rieker and Dr. Pat Sullivan on the ambulance in days gone by, much is expected of their successors.

Society Feels Snubbed

I am informed that Tango Officer Clark was conspicuous by his absence at the dance in the armory a few evenings ago. To be sure the dance was not held back to await his coming nor were there any pronounced evidences of regret at his non-appearance. Society is disposed to be charitable and will overlook, this time, the snub offered it by the officer. But he should have been there for the dancing of Miss Cheney and Mr. Horr would have been a revelation and an education to him. Having seen the new dances properly executed he could pick out the improper ones more readily in the future. Probably he was peeved because he didn't get an invitation but when dances have been held at Associate, Lincoln or Runels' halls he didn't wait for an invitation, but was always a feature of the merry occasions. It's hardly fair for officer Clark to snub the society dances. Can he have so soon forgotten the slogan of the head of his department: "Equal rights to all; special privileges to none?" Society dancers are as much entitled to the charm of his presence as are those of humbler station. I understand that Officer Clark is much pleased with his assistant "Chief" Cooney, on the ground that the "chief" is of more graceful lines than Officer Swanwick and would make a better partner should occasion require them to give a public exhibition. "Chief" Cooney, by the way, is Officer Al. Cooney. "Chief" is simply a nickname given him by Belvidere friends, and does not imply that the officer has any aspirations toward the "Big Chief's" job.

The Sealer's Position

Warren Riordan has been kept busy all week receiving congratulations from his friends on his election as sealer of weights and measures while Assistant Sealer Nestor has been kept equally busy receiving the condolences of his friends together with expressions of sympathy from men who previously have not the pleasure of his acquaintance but who believe that the position, from a moral standpoint belonged to him. The civil service commission has informed the city of Lowell that the position does not come under the civil service law and hence the election of Mr. Riordan was all right from a legal standpoint. But it doesn't seem to fit under the "Equal rights for all, special privileges for none" unwritten law of this administration. One would imagine that a man who had served some eight years faithfully and competently as a first assistant should be promoted to fill the place left vacant by the death of the chief and the new and inexperienced man placed in the lower position and allowed to work up. Here's the funny part of the thing: If the municipal council had elected Mr. Nestor head of the department Mr. Riordan would be ineligible for the appointment as assistant, unless his name was on the civil service list. But while ineligible to hold the smaller job he is eligible to the greater, and Mr. Nestor, who was obliged to pass a civil service examination before he could get the job at all, after having passed and then added the experience of several years' steady work to his knowledge of the requirments of this particular department finds himself barred by another unwritten law popularly expressed in the words: "To the victors belong the spoils." In Washington a distinguished statesman once remarked: "What's the constitution among friends." By the same token, where do experience and faithful service fit in political jobs?

Paul Hannagan Street Builder

Somebody in Lawrence once told me the following yarn about Paul Hannagan, the popular street commissioner of that burg: Paul was at a dinner and had been consuming oysters, soup entrees and roasts with all the vim of a man blessed with a good appetite and an easy conscience when the waiter approached him and said: "What would you like for dessert, Mr. Hannagan?" "Dessert? Oh, yes," said Paul, "bring me some corned beef and cabbage, please." Now this may not be true. It may be possible that Paul called for pig's head, or spare ribs, instead of corned beef or it may be that it never happened at all, but however, it is illustrative of Paul's career. After hustling for many years on jobs that have paid comparatively modest wages, along comes Mayor Curley from Boston at this late day, offering him a $900 per year berth. If Paul decides to take the job, I, for one will gamble that he'll make good. But what strikes us queer here in Lowell are the stories that have been published about the street work in Lawrence and Mayor Curley's delight upon inspecting the block paving of that city. One would imagine that Lawrence was the only city in New England to use block paving with a cement base and concrete filling. Lowell has been using the same kind of paving for many moons, and with due respect to the Lawrence street builders, it did not originate with Paul Hannagan, Phil Holland, Chester Hudson, Billy White or even John Sheehan. Had we known that Mayor Curley wanted to learn something about street paving we could have invited him to Lowell where we have humble street department foremen who can teach our down-river neighbors the art of building streets. For instance, there's old John Bowers, but why enumerate them. Curley might come up and get them away from us and then Lowell would be the loser.

While Mr. Hannagan is not the originator of the smooth block paving scheme he is both an inventor and a discoverer. He invented the Hannagan gutter plow, the Hannagan catch-basin and the Hannagan tip-cart while he discovered Ballardvale Lithia water and evidences of prehistoric lakes in the vicinity of Den Rock, at Lawrence.

That reminds me, Phil Holland was in town a day or so ago and called upon Commissioner Morse. Phil, it is understood, wanted to sell some paving blocks to the city, but Charlie is not in the market at the present time.

Putnam Slated to Remain

From all accounts the flurry relative to the discontinuance of the services of Supt. of Streets Putnam has blown over and Newell will continue to hold down the job. Supt. Putnam, it is said, had a champion in a well known physician who, it is said, has succeeded in convincing some of the members of the municipal council that he should be retained.

New Faces in Health Dept.

If new brooms continue to sweep clean the health department stables should look spick and span these days, as a couple of changes have been made there recently. Ex-Alderman Jas. J. Flanagan, a leading figure in the recent municipal campaign and subsequently mentioned for the positions of private secretary to the mayor, and purchasing agent, like the prospective minister to Dahomey, in Hoyt's celebrated satire, is at last permanently placed as an employe of health department stable while Andrew Welch, another ardent supporter of the mayor, is reported to have accepted a position at the Broadway institution. All members of the health department are still working under their old pay schedule as the promised advance could not be made, owing to the city's present financial condition.

The Edson School Principalship

The Edson school is still without a principal because Dr. Lambert and Mr. Simpson cannot find a candidate to their particular liking. When the matter was first considered these two members asked for more time to consider "the qualifications of the candidates" and as time has gone by there is considerable speculation and not a little suspicion as to the particular "qualification" that they desire. There are two candidates in the field, Hon. John F. Meehan, an A. M. and a native of Lowell, and Christopher J. Hagan, also possessed of the necessary educational qualifications, a native of Lowell and with a record of one year's excellent work while acting principal at the same school in which the vacancy now exists. In the good old days when the late Marcellus Fletcher was with us, he knew the name, address and political affiliation of every voter in Lowell and in picking them out from the check-lists at headquarters, in addition to his "John Smith, democrat, John Jones, republican" he had a third designation which he applied to certain voters who were partisans with one reservation. Some people are wondering if any of the members of the present school board come under that third designation.

Vocalists at City Hall

An out-of-town friend recently called my attention to the fact that Lowell's city hall is particularly well-fixed for vocalists, if it does not burn up the carpets with its oratory. He's right, too, and we are particularly strong on baritones for where is there a combination to excell Commissioner Donnelly, Building Inspector Frank Connor, City Auditor Paige and Clerk Bruce of the supply department. I have been informed also that Commissioner Brown has taken to singing and not long since was heard warbling "The Rosary" in a manner that would make Schumann-Heinke herself sit up and take notice. (I suppose you thought I was going to say "cyanide." Not so.) As "The Rosary" is one of my favorites I would have paid good money for a ring-side seat to hear the commissioner sing it. But speaking of singers at city hall, the variety of voices may be added to next year for the friends of John J. Dalton, Lowell's matchless tenor are grooming him as a candidate for commissioner next fall. Of course election times are a long ways off but there is nothing like an early start.

A Good City Job

While at lunch in a down town restaurant yesterday, I overheard the following:

"I see ——— ——— ——— has landed a good city job."

"What doing?"

"Floor-walker at the cemetery."

THE SPELLBINDER.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

THE GUNMEN

Newport News: One of the witnesses in the gunmen case who testified before Justice Goff last Saturday has already acknowledged himself a perjurer and confessed that he knew nothing of the shooting. His testimony—if corroborated, would have sent several innocent men to the electric chair, as well as saved the condemned criminals. He may be held as a witness in the retrial of Police Lieut. Becker for complicity in the shooting of Rosenthal.

NOT ALWAYS PATIENT

Portland Express: Anyway, we have found out how to arouse the president's anger. Just do something to the flag and his policy of "watchful waiting" gives way to "a rigid firmness and fixed determination not to temporize."

OWNERS AND DRIVERS

New Bedford Standard: The attempt to hold the owner of an automobile responsible for any injury caused by his car, regardless of who is operating it at the time of the accident, or whether or not he is in the car, or whether or not it was operated by his permission, is so obviously beyond the line of justice and right, that it is not at all surprising that the supreme court of the United States has pronounced unconstitutional the law of Michigan, that held automobile owners liable to this extent.

EXEMPTION AND SUBSIDY

Fall River News: Whether or not Secretary Bryan explains in a satisfactory way how it happened that the Baltimore platform had a plank in favor of tolls exemption, he shows that the plank against ship subsidies was there and that that plank was in full accord with ancient democratic doctrine. It follows that President Wilson could not shape his policy according to both planks. They were radically inconsistent with one another. The president could not stand on both. One had to be ignored and he chose to disregard that one which was obnoxious to the treaty agreement.

AMERICAN CULTURE

Lynn Item: Anybody who has noticed the coming of English professors to this country in recent years will recognize that in coming to Princeton Alfred Noyes but follows the tide which is setting irresistibly in this direction. Culture may be little understood in the United States but we do pay living salaries to the men who can deliver the goods in almost any line.

THE DANGER

Burlington Free Press: President Wilson has caused it to be known that he will not act without authorization by congress, but it is possible for the administration to push matters so far as to prevent our nation from retiring with dignity without resorting to hostilities. That is the chief danger which confronts the United States at the present time.

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BASEBALL AND FIELD SPORTS

THE SUN SPORTING PAGE

BOXING, GOLF AND ATHLETICS

ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS

"Chic" Cargo is in shape for another campaign he rises to remark. "Buster," the well known bulldog of Chic. is also in fine condition. Cargo's dog is as well remembered as is "Chic" himself in New England league circles.

The two games Monday ought to attract a mid-season crowd if the weather holds on as it is today. With two such clubs as Toronto (International league) and New London (Eastern association) as contestants, there is sure to be some real baseball

Tommy Daly was once more in the lineup of the White Sox yesterday and came through with a timely single. Daly is making good with a vengeance although Callahan hasn't decided yet where he will place him. He is bigger than last year, having gained 18 pounds in his tour around the world.

Jim Swetonick, the star twirler whom Louis Pieper discovered late last season, has finally put in an appearance in Lawrence. The down river speed merchant allowed that he was going to quit professional ball because his parents did not want him to leave home. However, he's joined Pieper's squad.

Eddie Berard, mascot of the Lowell club for so long that a game without Edward's presence would seem amiss, can play this spring with many of the men applying for league positions. It won't be long now ere Eddie sets up for himself in the baseball business. He warmed up all of the pitchers yesterday and grabbed everything in their respective repertoires.

Burke and Wacob work like a machine together. With a man on third yesterday and a man on first Wacob shot the ball to his old teammate when the basorunner on first attempted a steal. Burke played the throw just right—he could have got the man at second if the runner on third hadn't made the mistake of thinking there was a chance for a run. The big Californian had him a yard at the plate.

Wacob has one of the chief duties of a backstop down to a science that of blocking off a runner attempting to score. Yesterday he stood at the plate with a man tearing in from third. The throw was a bad one and the best Wacob could do was knock it down. Without changing the position of his feet, however, he picked up the ball and tagged out the runner while the latter was vainly trying to reach the plate.

The champion of the lightweight division came through last night in the predicted manner and Harlem Tommy Murphy received the worst taeing of his somewhat lengthy career. The latter's gameness and ability to take punishment, however, won him the plaudits of the crowd. The beating received by Murphy last night will do him no good and will shorten his ring days appreciably.

After all of his scissors work Patsy Flaherty still has 45 candidates out in uniform for his Lynn club. One report said that Flaherty's first roster carried seventy-four names. Out of this small army the Lynn managor is reported to have picked out one good infielder, named Gillespie. If this be true how many candidates must Flaherty have to pick out a club?

Joe Birmingham, manager of the Cleveland club, will be out of baseball for the rest of the season it is thought and if this be the case the Naps might just as well give up all hopes that ever existed for a pennant-chasing club. Birmingham has been pursued by a jinx for the past two years but his recent injury is the worst that has ever overtaken him.

The Red Sox do not look near as well this season as they did a year ago. It was a few weeks later in the season that accidents began to occur in their camp. Scott at short is a youngster and, although giving promise of great things, does not know the game as yet. Engle is too short for a first baseman while Collins is practically the only first class pitcher working at present. No one can ever say a word derogatory to that Red Six outfielder, however.

The Oxford relay team which has been training on the Harvard stadium track, left a big impression on the minds of those who watched them perform. Norman Tabor, the former Brown distance champ but who is now studying at the English university, is a member of the quartet but is not considered the classiest by any means. The American college relay which defeats these four men will have to travel right along.

Here's another pretty good little joke: Reports from the Red Sox headquarters read something like this. "Tim Murnane (lest you forget, Timothy is president of the New England league) has been appointed official American league scorer. Murnane didn't want the job but took it when pressed." Oh, no, of course Murnane didn't want the job. It will probably be the first soft money that he ever made out of baseball.

The mention of the New London club gives material for another thought. Experts along the Eastern association circuit are already picking the New London club as the pennant winner in that organization. Pat Martin, last year the star dinger of the Lawrence club, is only one of several first class pitchers who have been signed up by the new owner. The rest of his team is considered just as classy as his box staff. If all these things are true New London will be the team that plays the winner of the New England league. And if our hopes come true Lowell will and the flag in the "little old league." Therefore, if both "ifs" should materialize we will see New London here in the fall.

JOHNSON, BASEBALL'S FIGHTING MAN, HAS TO ADMIT HIS FIRST DEFEAT

BAN JOHNSON

Ban Johnson, president of the American league and member of the national baseball commission, has had to admit defeat for the first time in his notable career in the business affairs of the green diamond game. Johnson was in charge of the war bureau formed to prevent the Federal league from coming into existence. But the Federals has "arrived" and are now cutting heavily into the patronage and profits of the two older organizations, whose last resort now is the courts. It is the irony of fate that Johnson who forced the American league into existence in opposition to the National organization, should now be one of the chief losers through the success of the Federals.

9 INNING GAME

Played Between Regulars and Yannigans — Six Pitchers Used

Yesterday's workout at Spalding Park was the most thorough of any that Manager Gray has been able to give his men this week. With the exception of Lohman, Dee, and Simmons all of the players who have reported thus far were in uniform.

A full nine inning game was played between two picked up teams composed of what Gray now considers his first lineup and the Yannigans. The Regulars won out by the score of 7 to 3.

Six pitchers were used for three innings apiece. Shenk, Temple and Heir did the heaving for the Regulars while Weaver, Maybohm and Banks worked for the Yannigans. Shenk showed more advanced form than the other pitchers and used a "hook" to good advantage while the others simply sent up straight ones.

The first string lineup found Wacob behind the plate, Kelley at first, Burke at second, Speraw at short and Carr on the hot corner. Potteiger was the only outfielder and was located in the middle garden.

Burke, Wacob, Shenk and Kelley did the bulk of the batting although hitting was free at all times. In one inning the Regulars made their three putouts at the plate, Burke and Wacob being the players to figure in some classy infield baseball.

"PETE" WACOB
Sensational Backstop Who Was With Wichita Kan. Club Last Year.

"DUTCH" POTTEIGER,
Classy Outfielder Who Is Practically Certain of Berth With Lowell Club

Fans Present

Quite a large crowd of fans were present in the first base bleachers yesterday to watch the candidates' workout and although there was no particular significance attached to the game rooting was frequent at various intervals.

Signs of life from the spectators were particularly apparent when the umpire made several questionable decisions. The conclusion of the fans after the workout seemed to be that Lowell would once more be represented by a pennant contender.

Carr Looking Better

Carr, the youngster trying out for third base, looks better every day that he works out. On his arrival here Monday he didn't show many signs of Class B baseball but he has improved with each subsequent practice. His pegging and all-around work about the third station yesterday was as good as can be asked for at this stage of the season.

Potteiger's Injury

Potteiger, the star performer in the outfield, whom Jimmy Gray is pinning his faith to as a regular this season, thinks that he will be able to go through this year's season without any trouble from his bad ankle. Potteiger broke his left ankle last year and played but little.

His work thus far, however, has not bothered him at all and he is confident that he will not experience any more trouble with it. The Dutchman's fielding yesterday was a pleasure to watch.

WITH THE PADDED MITTS

The welter-weight affair at the North Abington club last night has rather a rank aroma up this way. Mike Glover and Hayward Briggs were the two principals in the main bout and Michael hammered Briggs in great style. Both men are under the same management which doesn't listen very well. I believe we have seen glove events (some time ago) right here in Lowell that have been arranged in the same manner.

Mickey Brown, the much tooted lad from Malden who made quite a lot of talk about being the best boy of his weight in New England, took a trip to New York when Gardner Brooks the local 115 pounder, began to make war-talk. Brown was a wise chap when he erased himself from this immediate vicinity. He would have a long, hard row to hoe in the same ring, on the same night with Brooks.

Alger and Young fought a fast draw before the Lewiston club last night in their two six-rounders. The semi-windup to this bout was one between Sheppard and Lenney which resulted in a draw. Lenney did very well in consideration of the pounding Phinney Boyle gave him the other night.

Matchmaker McGann has arranged quite a bill for his all star performance next Thursday. Eddie Kelley, sparring partner of Johnnie Dundee, will meet Frankie Mack, once managed by Jimmy Gardner, and the other two ten round bouts are equally as good. McGann's club will be the only large one in existence in this vicinity before long, in all probability.

Gardner Brooks meets Tony Lorenzo next Monday night in the semi-windup at the Cambridge club. Lorenzo boxed a draw with Billy Brooks a few weeks ago and should be easy picking for Billy's older brother.

Mickey Brown will enter the ring of a New York athletic club tonight for a ten round contest with Young Fox of England. The English boxer is tooted as a hard hitter but Brown's cleverness may serve him in good stead.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending April 18, 1914, From City Clerk's Office—Causes Assigned

April
6 David Sheehan, 55, suicide.
19 Charles Lemieux, 13, pneumonia.
James Scott, 63, cerebro hemorrhage
11 Thomas Proctor, 28, drowning.
Rhoda Wood, 55, arterio-sclerosis
Lucinda B. D. Hanson, 73, cancer of stomach.
Etta F. Knowlton, 58, surgical shock.
Alice Duprez, 21 days, convulsions.
Marie L. A. Vendette, 13 days, congenital debility.
12 Hattie Ferguson, 2 days, dystocia.
William L. Coultier, 3 m. infantile convulsions.
John F. Carry 33, pellagra
13 Louis Levasseur, 51, accidental suffocation.
J Dwight Runnells, 66, cancer of intestines.
Alphonsine Archambault, 61, Cer. embolism.
George A. Cluff, 58, Cer. hemorrhage
Octave Gendreau, 62, accident.
14 Margaret Boyle, 60, Cer. softening
James M. Harding, 60, Ac. nephritis
John J Robbins, 70, asthma.
15 Laurette Morin, 2, pneumonia.
Marie Durand, 1, pneumonia.
John Donlon, 69, arterio-sclerosis.
Marie B. Allette, 1, Cer. meningitis.
Arthur Marion, 11 m., pneumonia.
Marie J. Drouin, 10 m., bronchitis.
16 Andrew McQuade, 48, Uraemia.
Agnes Mason, 68, myocarditis.
Marie J Decelles, 2, pneumonia.
17 Margaret A. Rayball, 1, gastro-enteritis.
Emelie B. Allard, 83, disease of the heart.
Marie B. C. Martel, 1 m., congenital debility.
14 Nils Olsen, 48, phthisis pulmonalis.
15 Thomas Horan, 29, tuberculosis.
Margaret Grey, 90, senile debility.
Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

COCKRAN TO AID BECKER

NOTED ORATOR EXPECTED TO SUM UP FOR DEFENSE IN SECOND TRIAL FOR MURDER

NEW YORK, April 18.—Karl Dresner told Dist. Atty. Whitman yesterday the name of the man who he says paid him to be an 11th hour witness for the four gunmen slayers of the gambler Herman Rosenthal, before Supreme Court Justice Goff last Saturday.

Detectives from the prosecutor's office were sent out last night to find the man named by Dresner, who is in the Tombs as a self-confessed perjurer because of the testimony he gave in the final effort of the gunmen to obtain a new trial

According to reported statements by Mr. Whitman, the agreed price for Dresner's story was $100, but that Dresner declares he got only $12.

In defense of Charles Becker at his second trial next month, W. Bourke Cockran, ex-congressman, will be included among his attorneys, it was announced yesterday. Mr. Cockran is expected to sum up the former police lieutenant's case to the jury. He is the law partner of Martin T. Manton, Becker's new counsel.

TAFT FAMILY POLITICS

HELEN JOINS SUFFRAGISTS AND MOTHER DECLARES FOR THE ANTIS

HARTFORD, Conn., April 18.—Word was received yesterday by the Connecticut Woman Suffrage association that the latest recruit to the cause is Miss Helen Taft, who is a student at Bryn Mawr and whose mother, Mrs. William H. Taft, last week declared her attitude at a glance to the Connecticut association opposed to suffrage.

The president of the Connecticut suffragists, Mrs. Thomas N. Hepburn, who recently drew a bitter analogy between the ex-president's attitude on the big political problems of the country and his wife's old-fashioned standpat notions of women's rights, made the following comment: "This action of mother and daughter is significant of the difference between the past and the present generations."

MOTOR BUSS CARS

Continued

up-to-date in every respect and while the horse power will be rated at 30 the engines will be capable of developing 35 horse power.

"The cars will be patterned after the semi-convertible electrics; windows down in fair weather and closed in bad weather. It would be cheaper perhaps to use hard tires, but hard tires don't ride very comfortably and I have decided to use dual pneumatic tires on the hind wheels. The cars will be upholstered in leather and I can't imagine anything more delightful than a nice ride on the state road along the beautiful Merrimack river between this city and Lawrence. If that ride in the best automobile in the land isn't worth 15 cents I would like to know it. The cars will be equipped with electric lights and will be self starting. It will not be necessary to employ a conductor as the passengers will pay as they enter. The door will be on the right side, near the front, and passengers can step from the sidewalk to the car.

"I feel very positive that the investment will be a profitable one and after I get started I will put on as many cars as the travel demands. There are motor-buss lines running between Peabody and Salem and I think between Gloucester and Salem, taking in the Beverleys. If the line between here and Lawrence proves as successful as I think it will, I will start other lines to other points. I appreciate the fact that 15 cents is cheap for rapid transportation between Lowell and Lawrence, but I figure that I can make a good profit at that price."

AMOS P. BEST

Public Demand for Line

Asked how he happened to think about the motor-buss line, Mr. Best said: "I had heard so many complaints about the service between Lowell and Lawrence that I thought a motor-buss line would surely pay and when anything looks good to me I want to go through with it. My lease at Willow Dale expires May 1 and in view of the fact that I am no longer in the milk business I decided that I could make a success of the buss line because I can give it my undivided attention. There is a bill now before the legislature for double tracks between Lowell and Lawrence, but perhaps after I get fairly started there won't be any necessity for a double track.

Other Delightful Drives

"If there is any place in the country where a motor-buss line should pay I think it is between here and Lawrence. Strangers riding on electrics between the two cities fairly rave over the river and the beautiful scenery. There are other beautiful rides about Lowell and I think perhaps it would pay to have a car or two making trips to different points just for pleasure and observation. I do not want to be too optimistic but I tell you there is a future right here in Lowell for motor-buss cars and don't you forget it."

OUR FUTURITY

List of Local Births Reported During the Past Week

The following births have been recorded at City Clerk Flynn's office during the past week:

To Mr. and Mrs. David Howarth of

April 9—To Mr. and Mrs. David Howarth of 142 Grand street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Gerry of 7 Richardson avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Lang of 110 High street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Corcoran of 51 Ellis court, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hall of 74 Inland street, a daughter.

April 10—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holmes of 263 West Sixth street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick H. Brown of 950 Varnum avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar H. Douglas of 94 Princeton street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lahue of 450 Hildreth street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Ferguson of 931 Lakeview avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs Karolin Baran of 170 Church street, a daughter; to Mr and Mrs. James Perry of 15 Mill street, a daughter.

April 11—To Mr. and Mrs. M. Ducharme of 956 Middlesex street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sharkey of 229 Perry street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Wyman of 28 Billerica street, a daughter.

April 12—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Letendre of 695 Middlesex street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John Young of 154 Barker avenue, a son.

April 13—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Jenkins of 10 Cambridge place, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Carr of New York city, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Ara Ruiter of 22 Fremont street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Guyer of 2 East Burnside avenue, a daughter.

April 14—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith of 32 Morton street, a daughter.

April 15—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Beland of 55 George street, a daughter.

April 16—To Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Flora of rear 201 Gorham street, a son

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

B.A.A. MARATHON

Arrangements Completed for Big Event on Monday

BOSTON, April 18.—Aspirants for Marathon honors in the Boston Athletic club's 17th renewal of the famous classic had their last workouts today, although none of them went the whole 25 miles on account of the warm weather. Unless rain interferes the runners will find the very best footing, for the roads are in grand shape from the start in Ashland to the finish in this city.

The entry list was held open today for belated athletes, although those who show signs of being out of condition may find a physician's veto when they line up for the start.

Much of the interest centers in the Scandinavian trio from Minneapolis headed by Fritz Carlson, who won last year in fast time. His companions in the run this year will be John Karlsen and Lloyd Peterson.

Practically the entire field will be in the vicinity of the course by tonight and tomorrow will be one of complete rest in order to conserve every ounce of strength for Monday.

The race will start at noon and the leaders are expected at the finish two hours and a half later. The record for the course is two hours, 21 minutes, 18 1-5 seconds, made by Michael J. Ryan of the Irish American Athletic club in 1912.

Much interest is being evinced in the showing of James J. Duffy of Hamilton, Ontario. Duffy, who is the fastest long distance runner ever developed in Canada, will reach Boston tomorrow, accompanied by "Bobby" Kerr, the Olympic champion sprinter.

RITCHIE REAL CHAMP

SAY SPORTING WRITERS WHO SAW HIM DEFEAT TOMMY MURPHY

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—There was no dispute today among the sporting writers and ringside experts that Willie Ritchie holds rightfully his title of lightweight champion of the world. His defeat last night of "Harlem Tommy" Murphy of New York at the end of 20 rounds in one of the most trying fights any champion has ever weathered was conclusive. Ritchie won all the way and from every angle.

At the same time Murphy, who never has been a boxer to win much applause in a short distance bout, displayed again that he is an indomitable fighter, never flinching under punishment and always ready to come back for more.

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LEAGUE STANDING

American League

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	3	0	1.000
New York	2	0	1.000
Washington	2	1	.667
Detroit	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Boston	1	2	.333
Philadelphia	0	2	.000
Cleveland	0	3	.000

National League

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Brooklyn	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	2	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	2	1	.667
Cincinnati	1	1	.500
Chicago	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	2	.333
Boston	0	2	.000
New York	0	2	.000

GAMES MONDAY

At Lowell (exhibition).
Morning 10.15—Toronto (International) vs. Lowell.
Afternoon, 2.30—New London (Eastern association) vs. Lowell.

American League

Philadelphia at Boston (2 games).
Washington at New York.
Cleveland at Detroit.
St. Louis at Chicago.

Sunday Games

Cleveland at Detroit.
St. Louis at Chicago.

National League

Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Brooklyn.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

Sunday Games

Chicago at St. Louis.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

LEAGUE STANDING

American League

	R.	H.	E.	Attce.
Washington	1	7	0	5,097
Boston	0	2	3	5,037
New York	4	7	2	6,000
Philadelphia	0	3	0	
Chicago	6	11	2	8,700
Cleveland	5	8	3	
St. Louis	2	7	0	
Detroit	1	6	2	2,100

National League

	R.	H.	E.	Attce.
Brooklyn	5	11	0	6,009
Boston	0	5	3	
Philadelphia	3	8	1	6,500
New York	1	5	2	
Pittsburgh	2	6	2	
St. Louis	0	4	1	1,000
Chicago	6	6	1	
Cincinnati	5	9	2	6,500

C.Y.M.L.

All members of the C. Y. M. L. are requested to attend a memorial mass, for deceased members to be celebrated in St. Patrick's church Monday, April 20th at 8.45.

JOHN FLANNERY, Sec.

BASEBALL
AT SPAULDING PARK
MONDAY A. M.
LOWELL vs. TORONTO
Game Called at 10.15
MONDAY P. M.
LOWELL vs. NEW LONDON
Game Called at 2.30

PAINT

COBURN'S Exceptionally complete stocks include everything in the paint line which a thoroughly progressive paint store should carry. C. B. Coburn Co. watch stocks carefully and replenish them as often as is necessary to keep each line unbroken. When you trade here you have the satisfaction of getting precisely what you want.

Aluminum Paint, ½ pt. .25
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Gold Finish, ½ pt. .35
Refrigerator Enamel, ½ pt. .40
Ripolin Enamel (imported), ½ pt. .50
Harrison's Oil Stains, r. s., qt. .50
Interior Finish Flat, qt. .50
Furniture Varnish, qt. .50
Cement Floor Coating, qt. .65
Bull Dog Paint Remover, qt. .70
Copper Boat Paint, qt. .70
Carriage Paint, qt. .75
Interior Preservative, qt. .75
Coburn's Floor Finish, qt. .80
Yacht White, for boats, qt. .95
P. G. Enamel, for boilers, gal. 1.05
Harrison's Barn Paint, gal. 1.00
Coburn's Spar Varnish, qt. 1.23
Harrison's Clearlac, gal. 1.25
Harrison's Roof Paint, gal. 1.25
Harrison's Wagon Paint, gal. 1.50
Driwal Coating, gal. 1.65
Dixon's Graphite Paint, gal. 1.75
Rice's Mill White, gal. 2.00
Antoxide, for iron, gal. 2.10
Flowkote Enamel, gal. 4.00

The Screen Paint demonstration will continue throughout next week.

Free City Motor Delivery

C.B.COBURN CO.
63 MARKET ST.

THEY DO SAY

That the open cars are with us again.

That Joe Wood is a bear for work.

That the Lowell Greek population is rapidly increasing.

That Buck Sharkey would look good to the Lowell fans this season.

That Blanche didn't wear her white stockings since that rainy night.

That people with claims against the city are besieging city hall.

That a Highlands young lady was giving away eggs last Saturday night.

That A. T. thought that Durant street was located in Dracut Centre.

That when boys scramble for pennies every little movement has a meaning all its own.

That while a great deal is being said about economy the only place to find it is in the dictionary.

That city teamsters who delight in blocking electric cars should be given a lay-off.

That everything would be all right if we would spend a little less than we earn.

That the Bacheler club made a great hit with their comedy "The Benedicts," last night.

That the A. G. Pollard clerks held one of the prettiest post-Lenten parties of the season this week.

That the Y. M. C. A. bowlers gathered last night for the last time this year.

That Huerta has the consolation of having stirred up a hornet's nest without getting stung.

That the janitors' banquet at the American House Tuesday night will be some event.

That one of the Bloomer girls says the English sparrows are a lot of little ingrates.

That birds of a feather don't always flock together. Witness the sparrow and the dove.

That the girl with the flounces was the centre of attraction in Merrimack square.

That a girl at city hall refused to tell how long she had been employed there.

That Court Officer Burns and "Billy" Bourke pulled off a pretty good wrestling match the other day.

That the fellow who spends $3 a week on baseball pools is reducing his salary or wages just that much.

That Arthur Giroux caused many surprises Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

That the Shawlights will have some time at their dancing party on Thursday night.

That the girls are all jealous of Delphine since she purchased that Parisian creation.

That Henry Carr came all the way from New York to attend that whist party Tuesday night.

That Long Bill, the Westford street car conductor, is going to buy a rule book and learn how to play cribbage.

That a young loomfixer employed at the U. S. Bunting Co. will join the benedicts soon.

That there's one less boxer in town, while the mystery of the lunch cart is still unsolved.

That Phinney Boyle and Gardner Brooks are the two coming mitt artists of Lowell.

That the dressmakers are working overtime on creations for the coming party in aid of St. John's hospital.

That everybody with a new auto will make the trip to Concord and Lexington on Monday.

That John A. Quinn is a young man foremost in many a worthy undertaking.

That the Mass. K. of C. dinner at the Copley-Plaza tonight will be a brilliant affair.

That Rev. Dr. Kelcher gave President Carey of the M. T. I. a pretty compliment the other evening.

That Pres. Daniel F. Reilly of Div. 8, A. O. H., says the banquet of the division next week will be a fine affair.

That Andrew Welch was the right man for the reception committee at the Mathew ball.

That it's no cinch to be mayor of New York when they'll try to hustle you into eternity.

That a few loads of cinders on the Maple street sidewalk may avoid many law suits against the city.

That the party of St. Margaret's parish to be held Monday evening, will be a very enjoyable social affair.

That the Pawtucketville girl was sorry it didn't rain Easter Sunday because she wanted to use her new umbrella.

That Charles Lirette, the 63-year-old trapper would make a valuable member for the Lowell Fish and Game association.

That St. Joseph's college alumni scored a tremendous success with its recent dramatic entertainment for the benefit of St. Jean Baptiste church.

That the Centralville young lady who was in the habit of saying "Now listen" has changed and at present says "Look now."

That if Henry Carr could see the boys playing ball in the streets of lower Belvidere he would turn his attention to that section of the city.

That Building Inspector Frank Connor can sing a lullaby fully as well as he can warble "The River Shannon" or any of his many song hits.

That the row in Commissioner Morse's office Thursday morning penetrated to the school department office on the next floor.

That a Belvidere liquor dealer closed his place of business for a couple of hours on Good Friday afternoon, and went to church. Strange, but absolutely true.

That Jimmie "Gallagher" Shea is still receiving compliments on his fine Hood and Ayer window displays. James, like the goods he has been exploiting, was also "made in Lowell."

That those whose circumstances didn't permit new finery for Easter are quietly laughing at those who are still waiting for an opportunity to don theirs.

That a certain young lady enjoyed that auto ride last Sunday night despite the fact that the wind was blowing at the rate of about eighty miles an hour.

That Congressman Rogers tripping the light fantastic at the Mathew ball, reminds one that that is the way ex-Mayor Fitzgerald made such a success of politics at the Hub.

That Lowell fans at the opening game in Boston allow that the irrepressible John F. Fitzgerald overshadowed the present mayor by many yards.

That many a young man in the good old days threw up good U. S. currency for an apology for a dinner for himself and his fair friend, at Old Concord.

That Congressman Rogers knew that anything he might say about "Fighting Jack" Barry of the American navy would "go big" with any Lowell audience.

That when the letters are being changed on the large electric sign over the Chalifoux store, a large crowd gathers in the vicinity, for the work is very interesting.

That the days when bicycles and all other kinds of vehicles made the pilgrimage to Concord and Lexington on Patriots' day are passed. The advent of the electric cars has robbed the trip of much of its romantic interest.

That "Jack" Shea, of the Concord Drug company is exceedingly proud of the receipt of a portrait of himself, enlarged from a snap-shot by a traveling artist. It is certainly a work of art. Insist upon seeing it if you happen in there.

That the new pulmotor while located at the police station will not be used to revive drunks. The old fashioned slap on the sole of the foot is considered equally effective and much cheaper than the application of oxygen.

That Letter-Carrier Dave Martin, during his leisure hours, is preparing a program for the concert of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception church which is to take place next week, and David assures his friends that he will provide a musical feast.

That the report that Henry H. Harris is to be elected superintendent of schools, Arthur K. Whitcomb transferred to the Varnum school and either Hugh J. Molloy, John F. Meehan or Christopher J. Hagan given the two vacant places has leaked through the inner circles in the school board.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

THE OPERA HOUSE

Enthusiastic audiences placed the stamp of approval on the third installment of the "Zingo" series at the Opera House yesterday. "Zingo" is admitted to be one of the strangest characters that has ever appeared upon the screen in this city. His hairbreadth escapes will keep your nerves on edge one minute and the next minute he has you screaming with his funny antics. Such novel scenes and settings, such thrills and humor never before were portrayed in any photoplay. The story of the third part shows "Zingo" in Asia where he has the most thrilling adventure of his career. He has the audacity to enter the royal harem of the king of Siam and steal the sacred white elephant. Then follows one adventure after another until he finally returns the sacred elephant to the king and after a big reception by royalty and the populace, he is rewarded rich treasures for his noble work. Don't fail to see "Zingo" and the white elephant at the Opera House today, as you will enjoy the story.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A breath from grand opera will be wafted from the stage of the B. F. Keith theatre next week when the Imperial Opera company of 14 excellent singers will give "Great Moments from Grand Opera." This is in reality three of the most noted scenes from three different operas, "Carmen," "Faust" and "Il Travatore." The collection of singers was brought together for a season in New York city, several of them having completed engagements at South American and American opera houses. But so successful were the singers that, at the expiration of their New York contract, they were immediately re-engaged for a tour of the Keith theatres throughout the east. Mme. Rose Doure, an Italian soprano, who has only recently finished a long engagemnet at the Opera House in Buenos Ayres, Argentina, will be the particular star of the production, singing "Leonora" in "Il Trovatore" and "Marguerite" in Gounod's "Faust." In "Trovatore," the fourth act will be shown, wherein "Leonora" and "Maurico" will sing the beautiful "Miserere," followed by the "Vivra," sung by "Leonora" and the "Count Di Luna." The church scene from "Faust" with the scene between "Marguerite" and "Mephistopheles," will be given, followed by the famous trio from the concluding scene of the opera. "Carmen" offers especial attractions because of the unusual story and through its brilliant trappings. The tavern scene, wherein "Carmen" sings the "Seguidilla" and "Escamillo" the "Toreador's" song will be shown. This will conclude with the famous quintet, "We Have a Plan." The excerpts from the three operas will be shown with complete costume and scenic accessories. The orchestra will be augmented. In view of the recently awakened deep interest in operatic productions, this act should draw large crowds to the theatre throughout the week. It will appeal to many persons who are not rated as vaudeville goers.

"The Lie That Jack Built" is the newest farce comedy sketch from the pen of Georgia Earle, formerly press agent for the Keith enterprises in New York. It hits upon an entirely new idea, that of a jilted woman forcing a bachelor who is about to wed another to construct an elaborate fabric of lies in order to cover up his tracks. He is very ingenious in his work, but that strange intuition which women possess enables her to puncture all of his tales. In the end he marries and goes on his honeymoon, while the former sweetheart then bares her treatment of him, and tells how she has made him show himself in the light of a very wise person, who can be very easily fooled. The cast presenting this comedy consists of Misses Campion and Morrey and Messrs. Spencer and Radcliffe, all of whom have recently appeared in successful Broadway productions.

Arthur Whitelaw, one of the best known of conversational comedians and a rapid fire joker, cannot fail to tickle his audiences. Whitelaw is every whit as well known as is Frank Fogarty, the Dublin minstrel. Whitelaw serves delicious comedy in a perfectly simple manner. In presence he captures an audience from the start. He should prove one of the telling hits of the entire bill.

Lowell and Esther Drew will offer their own concoction, "In a Drug Store," which is a mixture of likeable talk and dancing, and Ord Bohannon and Lillian Seville (the latter having appeared here at the opening of the present season) have their own act called "Don't Advertise," which is rich with singing features. Emilie Egamar is a beautiful singing comedienne. The bill will open with Froebel & Ruge, comedy ladder performers. As usual the Pathe Weekly will be shown.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening, the Bachelor Girls, 10 in number, a local singing organization, will give their new 1914 Song Revue, under the direction of James F. Rourke. Their work will prove effective, for the young women have incorporated new features. Other acts will also appear.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"The Only Son," a wonderfully interesting creation from the pen of Winchell Smith, author of "The Fortune Hunter," and other well known successes, will be the presentation by the Merrimack Square Theatre Players for the week commencing Monday, April 20, with a matinee. No better stock production has been given before a Lowell audience in years than next week's offering at the Merrimack Square Theatre. The author has provided a story that grips from the very outset and holds interest until the closing scenes. It is a wholesome story of the great love of a boy for his mother; of a father's love for his son and family; and finally of the love of the parents for their child. The story centres around the Brainerd family. Thomas Brainerd is a New York millionaire, who worked up from the ranks. He enters protests against the son's action in not showing ambition to do something worth while, instead of living in luxury. On top of this he suspects his wife of some trivial matter and the outcome of it all results in his ordering the wife from the house. His daughter stands with him, but the son sides in with the mother and they leave the home together. The latter go west and later when the father makes an endeavor to purchase some wonderful invention from a firm he finds that his son is one of the part owners. The meeting of father and son brings about a reuniting of the family and the curtain goes down on a happy scene. The play has many little sidelights that add to the great enjoyment of the piece, while the touch of humor in it balances well. Walter Scott Weeks and Miss Gladys Malvern will appear to advantage in the leading characters and are sure to again score heavily, while their support from the remaining members of the cast will be in keeping with the high standard of the past. Get your seats for Monday's performances. If you don't, you will miss the best seats.

Sunday's sacred concerts will be given Sunday afternoon and night.

THE OWL THEATRE

"Pauline" was there with the goods at the Owl yesterday, and she narrowly escaped from the deep-dyed villain, he still pursues her; curses! ah! but her noble lover shall always come to the rescue, at least for one year, then the exhibitor doesn't care what becomes of Pauline after that. Are you one of the many trying to win that thousand dollar prize? Well, all you have to do is to guess the riddle of each of these series. "The Mutual Girl," Pathe Weekly, Keystone comedy, all on the same program; five others. Don't miss the big show Sunday, a fine program has been chosen.

THE KASINO

"Kasino standard" means something. If perchance you doubt it, please come to Thorndike hill as the guest of the management, and hear a concert by the Kasino orchestra. From the commodious promenade, you may enjoy many of the melodies, old and new, and then if you wish to dance you may glide o'er the smoothest surface in Massachusetts. Dancing sessions are held every night and on Saturday afternoon.

GALLIVAN TAKES OATH

AS CONGRESSMAN FROM 12TH DISTRICT—ARRIVED TOO LATE TO GET HIS SEEDS

WASHINGTON, April 18.—A congressman expects to begin having trouble soon after he takes the oath of office, but Congressman-elect James A. Gallivan of Boston has struck it already, all on account of the famous annual free distribution of seed by the government.

Just before he resigned his seat in the house Mayor Curley received his usual lot of applicants for seed. In replying to the requests he announced that his successor would receive for distribution all the seed the 12th district was entitled to.

Upon his arrival here Mr. Gallivan found that under the law the seeds which were to have gone to Mr. Curley on April 1 had been turned back to the Department of Agriculture, inasmuch as there was no member of congress from the 12th Massachusetts district at the time the seed was put aside to be held until such time as one would be elected.

Consequently Mr. Gallivan has hundreds of applications but no seed. He will have to wait until the first of next April before he can begin to supply the demand.

Another thing that came along to worry Mr. Gallivan was the announcement by officials of the house of representatives' postoffice that 1500 letters addressed to Mr. Gallivan here had been sent to Boston yesterday. Mr. Gallivan thought he had got his correspondence fairly well cleaned up.

Mr. Gallivan called at the capitol yesterday afternoon, but was too late to take the oath of office, which is always administered at the beginning of the day's proceedings. The report got out that Mr. Gallivan did not wish to take the oath yesterday because it was Friday. This Mr. Gallivan denied. He will take the oath today.

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BELVIDERE WAR HERO

NICHOLAS PAPPAS RETURNS ALL WHOLE FROM BALKAN WAR—IN TWELVE BATTLES

Mr. Nicholas Pappas has returned from Greece where he went to enlist when the war broke out. Everybody remembers "Nick" as a partner of Peter Beloeas in the shine business on East Merrimack street.

When the call to arms was received "Nick" was one of the first to go to the aid of his mother country. On his arrival he was sent to Athens where he was drilled for two months before

NICHOLAS PAPPAS

being sent to the front.

He engaged in 12 battles on the Albanian coast; in the skirmishes on the Bulgarian frontier and also participated in the siege of Janina. He had the good fortune to escape without being wounded and although he endured many hardships said he would gladly go again if his country needed him.

After the war was declared off he spent three months with relatives but got lonesome for the United States and had to return. He is back at his old job as a weaver at the Merrimack mills in the daytime and at night you will find him at the old stand in the shine business.

TEACHER AT WELLESLEY

TAKES UNTO HERSELF A 71-YEAR-OLD HUSBAND—SHE IS 46 YEARS OLD

BOSTON, April 18.—A friendship of years, ripening into love, will culminate in two weeks in the marriage of Daniel F. Knight of Dorchester 71 years old, and Mrs. Sadie Petingell, 46, a teacher in the fashionable Dana Hall School for Girls at Wellesley.

"There is no romance whatever," smilingly remarked Mr. Knight. "There will not be a large or fashionable wedding. We plan to be married the week after next quietly, and then, following a short wedding trip, we will probably live in Brookline. After the wedding trip I will return to my business. That's all—no romance. You see we have been friends for a long time."

Mr. Knight is in the paper business at 180 Congress street and is well known in the paper trade throughout New England. He lives at 510 Washington street, Dorchester.

His bride to be, Mrs. Petingell, has been connected with Dana Hall for some years. She could not be seen yesterday.

CHECK YOUR APRIL COUGH

Thawing frost and April rains chill you to the very marrow, you catch cold—Head and lungs stuffed—You are feverish—Cough continually and feel miserable—You need Dr. King's New Discovery. It soothes inflamed and irritated throat and lungs, stops cough, your head clears up, fever leaves, and you feel fine. Mr. J. T. Davis, of Stickney Corner, Me., "Was cured of a dreadful cough after doctor's treatment and all other remedies failed. Relief or money back. Pleasant—Children like it. Get a bottle today. 50c and $1.00 at your druggist.

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CITY OF LOWELL

No. 31 Drug April 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that George A. Willson has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as Druggist at Nos. 106 Branch, 191 School sts., and bulkhead on School st., in two rooms on first floor and cellar.

By Order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 32 Drug April 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that John A. Osgood has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as Druggist at Nos. 576 Merrimack and 128-138 Suffolk sts., in four rooms on first floor, two rooms on second floor and cellar.

By Order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 33 Drug April 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Frank P. Moody has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as Druggist at Nos. 201 Central st., and one unnumbered door on Appleton st., in two rooms on first floor and cellar.

By Order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 34 Drug April 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Levi T. Steeves has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as Druggist at Nos. 225-229 Chelmsford st., one unnumbered door on Chelmsford st., and one unnumbered door on Hale st., in two rooms on first floor and cellar.

By Order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

BIG BANQUET

Plans are Complete for Annual Event of the Y. M. C. I

The banquet committee in charge of the monster banquet to be held by the Y. M. C. I. next Wednesday night, April 22, at its club house on Stackpole street, held a meeting last night and heard reports from its various sub-committees. From the reports received everything points towards the most successful feast ever held by this popular organization. The D. L. Page Co. has been awarded the contract for catering and the Y. M. C. I. orchestra is to furnish music. Collins, the decorator, is to have charge of beautifying the hall and the talented members of the society are to be heard in song and story. The array of speakers is particularly formidable. They include Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, Judge Thomas P. Riley of Malden, Hon. Thos. B. Dowd of Boston, who made such a forceful address last year, Rev. Joseph Curtin of St. Patrick's church, and last but not least Mr. Thos. J. Beane, who is to handle the affair in the capacity of toastmaster. Mr. Beane's ability is well known. As the seating capacity is limited, the sale of tickets will close Monday night, April 21.

Other guests who have accepted invitations are the Oblate Fathers of the Immaculate Conception church, Postmaster Robert J. Crowley, Supt. of Police Welch, Hon. John Jacob Rogers is also expeced to be present. The committee under whose watchful eye the plans have progressed so successfully are as follows: Pres. Wm. King, Vice-President George Clark, Secretary Fred Gillis, Treasurer Joseph LeCam, Paul Clark, chairman, Frank McCartin, John LeCan, John Cole, Thos. Clark, Patrick Farrell, Charles Burns, James F. Gilligan.

TO QUIT $5000 POSITION

ROBERT N. TURNER, LABOR COMMISSIONER, TO HAND IN HIS RESIGNATION

BOSTON, April 18.—Robert N. Turner, of Waltham, who since August last has been labor commissioner of the state, will today hand his resignation to the new board of labor and industries, which on Wednesday was confirmed by the council.

Mr. Turner made this announcement yesterday to certain of his friends in the legislature.

His comment was, he felt this would be the best way out, and that he intended to return to his law practice.

It has been intimated in some quarters that one of the first acts of the new commission would be to see about his retirement from the board, but it appears he reached this decision some time ago.

He informed Gov. Walsh shortly after the selection of the new board that he intended to leave the service, so he is following out a line of action which he had previously mapped out.

Mr. Turner was chosen commissioner in the first instance after a sharp contest between himself and John Golden of Fall River, who is now a member of the board.

His salary is $5000 a year, but the commission has the right to pay up to $7500. It is reported that Golden may be appointed to the vacancy, in which case the governor would have to make a new selection to represent labor on the board.

GOVERNOR'S DAUGHTER

WINS SUIT—VERMONT EXECUTIVE TESTIFIES IN BEHALF OF HIS DAUGHTER

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 18—Mrs. Mary Fletcher Charlton, daughter of Allen M. Fletcher, governor of Vermont, was granted a divorce from Dr. Frederick R. Charlton by Judge Remster in the circuit court yesterday afternoon.

Gov. Fletcher accompanied his daughter from his home in Proctorsville, Vt., and testified in her behalf. Mrs. Charlton was granted a divorce on her cross-complaint.

Dr. Charlton did not appear in court and no evidence was introduced to sustain his side of the case. Mrs. Charlton was granted the custody of their child.

WILLIE RITCHIE WON

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, won a decision over "Harlem Tommy" Murphy in a 20-round fight here last night. Nearly every round was easily Ritchie's, but Murphy's ability to stand punishment astounded the crowd.

LADY LOOKABOUT

With the lovely inconsistency which has been her own ever since the smiling, blushing Eve was presented in the Garden of Eden, to the smitten Adam whom she soon had under her thumb, woman rushes blindly, happily, from one fashion to another, staying with each only long enough to get the effect, when she is up again and off. Perhaps the one of all others who suffers most from this everlasting search for the unattainable, is poor man (I am sure it must be a man) who writes the full page advertisements in the large Sunday papers. The poor man's descriptive adjectives are exhausted long before he has warmed to his subject and in some cases the result is pitiable. I have been reading the advertisement of one of Boston's foremost ladies' furnishing houses, and really, I have never felt such compassion for anyone as I do for the man who wrote it. I am copying directly for you, two samples of his work which show the desperate condition he must have been in while gown after gown clamored for recognition.

"Crepe de chine blouse, trimmed Frenchily back and front. It has a Medici collar of lace, a standaway silk collar, a lace cape collar and a tasselled black silk cord—all on the same neck."

Wouldn't you know a man wrote it. Listen to this one: "The newer dresses sport an apron, not a housewifely apron—dear, no! It is made of the same material as the dress itself—sometimes it feels so much at home that the dress has an apron in back as well as in front—which settles it once for all that the apron is there for effect."

High Heels and Bad Sidewalks

It is a good thing for the exchequer of our city that low heels are, at the present time, the vogue in women's foot-wear. Should the high heel, discarded not so very long ago, suddenly return to favor, there would be so many suits against the city for damages resulting from defective sidewalks, that I am afraid city hall would have to be closed. Really, there are several places in the city where the condition of the sidewalks is a menace to public safety, and high heels or low, the wonder is that more accidents do not occur. Perhaps the spot that has impressed itself most deeply on most of us, is the patch of sidewalk directly in front of the new Y. M. C. A. building on Merrimack street. It would remind one of the rocky road to Dublin, and is it not a wonder that the young men would tolerate such at their very doors! This is only one spot. Others may be found in Gorham street, Central street and East Merrimack street. Already, one case for damages against the city is pending and when the sidewalks are in their present condition, it is hard to see how the city can offer any reasonable defence.

The Boston Hotel Calamity

That dreadful fire in the Allston apartment hotel has roused the authorities to a new activity in inspecting buildings and strengthening the fire laws. The pity is that no one seems to be aware of the danger from this source until a community has been visited by such a calamity. Then after the horse has been stolen, so to speak, the stable door is locked. Here in Lowell, the insurance companies keep after property owners in pretty good shape, but even with all their vigilance, sometimes they accomplish but half their duty. I have in mind a story, the truth of which I can vouch for. One of our largest furnishing houses had increased its floor space and added much new merchandise. The proprietor called in the agent of the insurance company he patronizes, to arrange for increasing the amount on his policy. The company refused to sanction an increase until the proprietor had installed a sprinkler system in his store. At the expense of much money, time and annoyance, this was finally accomplished, and the insurance increased to the satisfaction of all parties concerned. Eight years later, the proprietor again enlarged his quarters. When it came to extending the sprinkler service, plumbers went into the basement to turn the water off and drain the system, and, what do you think? In all those eight years the water had never been turned on in the sprinkler system! Yet the insurance company had done its duty when it refused to insure until its demands had been complied with, and the proprietor had acceded to the demands of the insurance company. Who was to blame? Fortunately, no fire had occurred, or there would have been much ado in investigating the cause and placing the blame. There can be no doubt that many disastrous fires occur from causes equally as absurd as the one I have cited.

Film Historical Records

The city of Paris has started an innovation, supported by city funds, which promises to become a valuable part of her story when the present generation has passed away. The feature consists in perpetuating by means of films, historical occurrences that take place from time to time. These films are to be protected and cherished as valuable documents, and it is needless to comment upon their value to future generations. Imagine, if you can, how we would prize a film depicting Washington crossing the Delaware, the signing of the Declaration of Independence; or perhaps some of the battles of the Civil war. They would be of untold value to our country, yet no movement has been made here to preserve authentic representations of historical events in this country.

To be sure, such films have been seen. We all have seen famous personages depicted in various acts of historical prominence, but these were prepared by firms who prepare films in which dramatic situations occur, frequently to the entire ignoring of features of actual historical value, because of the absence of the dramatic.

To Straighten Up

If the American Posture league, recently founded in New York City, accomplishes its object, the present day gait known as the di Milo slouch, with its drooping shoulders, hollow chests and protruding stomachs, will soon be relegated to the background. This society, which includes among its directors, many of the leading surgeons and physicians of the country, has for its object, the correcting of the postures of the American people. The league is working to have proper seats put in schools, shops and other places where present seats are conducive to unhealthful attitudes. The league makes recommendations to street car manufacturers, and already the new Brooklyn Rapid Transit subway cars are being constructed in accordance with its suggestions. It is the intention of the league to establish branches in various cities, and it would seem that right here in Lowell would offer a good field, as physical instruction is not featured here except in the high school.

The Horrors of War

It is with a feeling of great thanks we learn that there is actually little danger of war with Mexico. If more of us would put some thought on to the actual horrors of warfare, we would be much more ready to uphold President Wilson in not rushing the country headlong into war and bloodshed, notwithstanding the almost hysterical shrieking of some of our sensational newspapers. I am appending a copy of the worn original of a letter in the Confederate museum at Richmond, Va. The contributor who sends the copy to the New York Times, from which I am taking it, asks if those Americans who are urging the appeal to arms in quelling Mexican disorders realize the cost, and suggests a reading of the letters of those who in the past have engaged in warfare:

Spottsylvania County, Va., —, 1864.

Dear Father—This is my last letter to you. I went into battle this evening as courier for Gen. Heth. I have been struck by a piece of shell and my right shoulder is horribly mangled, and I know death is inevitable. I am very weak, but I write to you because I know you will be delighted to read a word from your dying son. I know death is near, that I will die far from home and friends of my early youth, but I have friends here, too, who are kind to me. My friend, Fairfax, will write you at my request and give you the particulars of my death. My grave will be marked so that you may visit it if you desire to do so, but (it) is optional with you whether you will let my remains rest here or in Mississippi. I would like to rest in the graveyard with my dear mother and brothers, but it is a matter of minor importance. Let us all try to reunite in Heaven. I pray my God to forgive my sins, and I feel that His promises are true and that He will forgive me and save me. Give my love to all my friends. My strength fails me. My horse and my equipments will be left for you. Again a long farewell to you. May we meet in Heaven. Your dying son,

J. R. Montgomery.

City Dumps as Playgrounds

From time to time we hear the suggestion that the city dumps be used for playgrounds during the summer months. It is hard to believe that this suggestion can possibly come from the sources ascribed to it, to wit: persons of undoubted intelligence and education. Within a short time, I have read of a study of city dumps in Chicago by a principal of a school assisted by one of his teachers. They found the dump made up of refuse of all kinds, including street sweepings, mattresses and feather beds, dead animals,—cats, dogs, rats and so on, bottles of medicine, and a thousand and one things actually breathing infection. And yet there are those in this enlightened age who seriously recommend these dumps as playgrounds for our children, breathing places for babies and their mothers, sleeping places, perhaps, for the poor on hot summer nights.

Lowell has succeeded in advertising herself far and wide as a poor city, yet I do not believe she has reached the stage where she will turn her children into the city dumps, aggregations of contamination, and by calling these places playgrounds, put an end to the demand in some sections of these very necessary adjuncts of city life.

LADY LOOKABOUT.

OXFORD RELAY TEAM HERE

REPRESENTATIVES OF ENGLISH COLLEGE VISIT HARVARD AND INSPECT BUILDINGS

BOSTON, April 18—The champion Oxford relay team said to be the fastest aggregation of milers that ever represented an English college, spent yesterday afternoon at Harvard, sightseeing, dining and training. They were the guests of the Varsity club.

The team, comprising four members and a substitute, arrived in Boston yesterday at noon, were whisked to the Varsity club, where a dinner had been arranged in their honor, and were then taken for a tour of the Harvard grounds, after which they were brought to Soldiers field for a workout that was watched with interest by hundreds of students and followers of athletics.

This team will represent Oxford in the Penn relay carnival at Philadelphia next Saturday. It is composed of Capt. Arnold N. S. Jackson, David N. Gaussen, George M. Sproule and Norman Taber the former Brown university athlete who is now a Rhodes scholar at Oxford. Gilbert S. Robinson is the substitute.

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MAN ATTACKS DETECTIVE

Mayor Mitchel's Sleuth Badly Battered by Angry Husband —Police Whistles and Screams

NEW YORK, April 17.—Two men, fighting, rolled about the first floor hall of the Buckingham palace apartment house at No. 547 West 147th street at 8 o'clock last night, and the battle aroused tenants to high excitement.

Police whistles and screams brought Patrolman John Roach of the West 152d street station. When he arrived he found Detective John J. Phelan, attached to Mayor Mitchel's office, getting much the worst of a fight. George Darling, a salesman of No. 501 West 168th street, was on top of Phelan, holding him down on the floor.

Standing near the fighters was Mrs. Darling, close to hysteria. Roach, with difficulty, parted the men.

"So you will interfere in my domestic affairs, will you?" demanded Darling, as he flicked dust from his sleeves and arranged his necktie. "You will, will you?"

"I want this man arrested for assault," said the much mussed up Phelan. "He attacked me without cause."

Phelan, who wore his shield and had his revolver, did not explain why he did not arrest Darling himself. Roach took Darling to the West 152d street police station, Phelan going with them. Darling said to the lieutenant at the desk:

"On two occasions I have been arrested by this man on charges of non-support preferred by my wife. Mrs. Darling and I have patched up all our differences and are most happy. To-night I had an engagement to meet her at the home of Mrs. Morris, on the second floor of the Buckingham.

"When I entered the front hall of the house and was waiting for the elevator I was surprised to see his man Phelan talking to my wife in the rear of the hall. I demanded to know what he meant by speaking to her, and he grabbed me by the collar. Then I fought him and made it so hot he couldn't get his revolver. That's my entire story."

Due to Old Grudge, He Said

"I wasn't talking to his wife," spoke up Phelan. "I didn't know she was in the house. I went to the house to call on a friend and was leaving when, near the street door, this man came in and slammed me on the head with an umbrella. I have arrested him and he's got it in for me because of that."

"I am an aunt of Mrs. Darling," said Mrs. Morris. "I know nothing about the domestic troubles of the Darlings, nor do I know anything about this fight. I know they have two very fine children. My niece came here this afternoon at 4 o'clock to visit me, and stayed until about 4.30. Then she left. I did not know that Mr. Darling expected to meet her here."

Phelan was made a detective a few days after Mayor Mitchel took office and was assigned to duty at city hall.

THAT FISHWAY

Simon B. Harris Says the State Commission Should Restore it

Simon B. Harris still holds to the opinion that the state fish and game commission should see to it that the fishway at Pawtucket falls is restored. Mr. Harris has been seeking an opportunity to thrash this matter out with the fish and game commission, but was unable to attend the last meeting of the Lowell Fish and Game association at which Commissioners Field and Adams were present.

These two commissioners allowed that the restoration of the fishway would be a useless expenditure of money inasmuch as salmon and shad have disappeared from the Merrimack river. This statement, Mr. Harris allows, may be all right as far as it goes, but it doesn't cover the law.

Mr. Harris calls attention to the fact that as far back as 1866 there was inaugurated a law concerning the obstruction to the passage of fish in the Connecticut and Merrimack rivers and Mr. Harris brings that law right up to date. He says that it is the duty of the state commission to have the fishway at Pawtucketville restored and there isn't any way of getting away from it. The Locks & Canals should be made to rebuild the fishway and then, perhaps, salmon and shad would reappear in the Merrimack.

There is some doubt as to the existence of a fishway at Pawtucket falls. It is a well known fact, however, that a fishway was once established there, but it seems that it was never properly recorded and that, viewed from the point of law, it doesn't exist. Some years ago a young man was arraigned in police court for taking fish from the Merrimack river within a shorter distance than that prescribed by law. Counsel for the defendant argued that there wasn't any fishway at the falls and asked the government to produce the record. The government was unable to produce the record. The court, however, imposed a fine and the case was appealed. The case was argued in the superior court and was thrown out because of the failure of the prosecution to produce any official records concerning the establishment of a fishway.

NORMAL SCHOOL

Will Receive $17,000 for Repairs — Textile School Resolve

The resolve carrying with it $17,000 for repairs to the state normal school in this city will go to the senate next week as it has already passed the house. It has the endorsement of the committee on education and the committee on ways and means and it looks as if it would have smooth sailing.

Things don't look so bright, however, for the $60,000 textile school resolve which is still in the arms of the educational committee. This matter is supposed to cover a period of 10 years, the school trustees to raise a stipulated amount during that time. It is stated that the legislature does not look upon this matter very favorably because of the fact that this is a bad financial year for the state and it seems to be in the wind, too, that the state should have greater supervision over textile schools.

E. D. TALFORD RESIGNS

QUITS POSITION IN NORTH CHELMSFORD TO ACCEPT POSITION IN HOOKSETT, N. H.

Eugene D. Talford, superintendent of the Lowell Textile Co. in North Chelmsford, has resigned his position and accepted that of superintendent of the Dundee mill at Hooksett, N. H.

Mr. Talford has managed the North Chelmsford plant of the Lowell Textile Co. for the past ten years, and his departure from that plant, where he had become a popular official, will be greatly felt by the many employes.

The Dundee mill is a large linen and towel manufacturing plant and with a superintendent of Mr. Talford's experience and knowledge in this particular line of work it will prove a large factor in supplying the linen trade.

Stock Market Closing Prices, April 17th

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	74⅝	73⅛	73½
Am Can	25¼	25	25¼
Am Can pfd	91½	89¼	89¼
Am Car & Fd	49¾	49⅝	49⅞
Am Cot Oil	41	41	41
Am Hide & L pf	21¼	21¼	21¼
Am Locomo	31¼	30½	30½
Am Loco pf	99	99	99
Am Smelt & R	67¼	66	66⅛
Am Smelt & R pf	101¾	101¾	101¾
Anaconda	34¼	34⅛	34⅛
Atchison	96⅛	96	96
Atch pf	100	100	100
Balt & Ohio	89	88⅛	88⅜
Br Rap Tran	91¼	90½	90½
Canadian Pa	201¼	200⅛	200⅜
Cent Leather	36⅛	34⅞	35
Ches & Ohio	53⅝	52⅝	52⅝
Col Fuel	29½	29	29
Consol Gas	130½	130	130⅛
Del & Hud	150	150	150
Den & Rio G	12	11⅛	11⅛
Den & R G pf	22	19¾	19¾
Dis Secur Co	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝
Erie	29	27⅞	28
Erie 1st pf	45	44¾	44¾
Erie 2d pf	37½	37⅜	37⅜
Gen Elec	144¾	144¾	144¾
Gt North pf	122½	121⅞	121⅞
Gt N Ore ctf	31½	32½	32½
Int Met Com	14¾	14½	14½
Int Met pf	61¼	60½	60½
Int Paper pf	35	34¾	34¾
Iowa Cen pf	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Kan City So	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
Kan & Texas	16	15½	15⅝
Lehigh Valley	141	134	135
Louis & Nash	135¾	135½	135¾
Missouri Pa	24½	18½	18⅝
N Y Central	88¾	87½	87½
Nor & West	103½	103⅛	103⅛
No Am Co	75¾	75¾	75¾
North Pacific	110¾	110⅞	109⅞
Out & West	26	26	26
Pennsylvania	110¼	109¾	109¾
Pressed Steel	42¾	42	42
Reading	163⅝	162⅝	162⅝
Rep Iron & S	22¾	22¼	22⅜
Rep I & S pf	83½	83	83
Rock Is	3½	3¼	3¼
Rock Is pf	5½	5	5
St Paul	99	97⅞	98¼
So Pacific	92⅝	91½	91⅝
Southern Ry	24⅝	24⅛	24⅛
Southern Ry pf	80	80	80
Tenn Copper	33¾	33¼	33¼
Texas Pac	14¼	13⅝	13¾
Third Ave	42½	41⅞	41⅞
Union Pacific	155⅛	153¾	153⅞
Union Pac pf	82½	82½	82½
U S Rub	58¼	57⅞	57⅞
U S Steel	59⅛	58	58¼
U S Steel pf	109½	109	109
U S Steel 5s	102⅝	102½	102⅝
Utah Copper	56¼	55	55¼
Wab R R pf	4⅝	4¾	4¾
Westinghouse	73½	72½	72½
Western Un	61⅞	61⅝	61⅝
Wh & L rie	4	4	4

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, April 17.—Alaska was again the center of speculation on the local exchange today, reaching 27 7-8 in the first hour. Granby was active and lower, while other stocks were dull and unchanged.

COTTON FUTURES

	Opening	Close
May	12.58	12.54
July	12.35	12.39
August	12.09	12.14
October	11.63	11.61
December	11.60	11.61

DEMAND AT THE OPENING

IMPROVEMENT CONTINUED AND TRADING WAS ACTIVE—LEHIGH VALLEY DROPPED 7 POINTS

NEW YORK, April 17.—The improvement in the stock market which set in late yesterday continued at the opening late today. Higher prices for American stocks in London gave the initial impulse but the gains made abroad were soon outstripped here. There was a good demand for all classes of stocks and trading was active. Southern Pacific, St. Paul, Canadian Pacific, Westinghouse, Utah Copper, American Tobacco, and a number of other shares made advances of one to two points. Lehigh Valley, which has been conspicuously weak for some time was the only stock to show signs of heaviness. After opening fractionally higher it reached 1 1-4, falling to a parity with its recent low point.

Although the market was on a higher level most of the morning the movement was uncertain and irregular. Raiding operations, such as have been almost of daily occurrence for the last week were resumed with Lehigh Valley the particular object of attack. A sharp depression in that stock checked the early improvement but although initial gains were cancelled the market later resumed its upward swing and by noon prices had mounted again to the early level. Success of the bears in seeking out vulnerable points checked buying and the noon day rally was not vigorous. Missouri Pacific was especially susceptible to attack. It dropped four and one-quarter points.

The market closed weak. Demoralization of Lehigh Valley which dropped seven points, caused a rapid fall in other securities.

COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed 9. Middling Uplands 13.10. Middling Gulf 13.35. No sales.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston Elevated	182	182	182
Bos & Maine	43	42¾	43
N Y & N H	69½	68½	69½
MINING			
Allouez	41	40½	40½
Arcadian	4½	4¼	4¼
Arizona Com	4¾	4½	4½
Cal & Arizona	67	66¾	66¾
Centennial	16½	16½	16½
Chino	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
Copper Range	37½	37¼	37¼
E Butte	10¾	10¾	10¾
Franklin	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛
Granby	82	79¼	80
Greene-Cananea	35	35	35
Hancock	15¾	15¾	15¾
La Salle	5	4⅞	5
Mass	3⅞	3½	3½
Mayflower	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Mohawk	43½	43½	43½
Nevada	15	14¾	14¾
Nipissing	8⅝	6½	6⅝
North Butte	28⅝	26½	26½
No Lake	1½	1½	1½
Old Colony	1½	1⅛	1⅛
Osceola	77¾	77	77
Quincy	59	59	59
Ray Con	21½	21	21
Superior	29	29	29
Superior & Boston	2	2	2
Tamarack	33	33	33
Trinity	3½	3½	3½
Utah Cons	10¾	10¾	10¾
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	120⅝	120½	120½
MISCELLANEOUS			
Mass Elec pf	60	59½	59½
Mass Gas	89¾	89¾	89¾
Mass Gas pf	92	91¾	92
United Fruit	159	158	158
United Sh M	41¾	55	55½
Un Sh M pf	28½	28½	28½
UNLISTED SECURITIES			
Alaska Gold	28	27	27
Am Ag Chem pf	94¼	94¼	94¼
Butte & Superior	35¾	34½	34½
Island Creek Coal	49	48	48
Isle Royale	18¼	18	18
Miami Cop	23⅝	23¼	23¼
Pond Creek	17½	17⅜	17⅜
Swift & Co	106½	106½	106½
U S Smelting	37	37	37
U S Smelting pf	47⅝	47½	47⅝
BONDS			
Am Tel & T 4s	89	89	89
do con 4½s	98½	98½	98½

MURDER CHARGE

Stepfather of Mrs. Ethel Cummings Arrested After Funeral

NORWAY, Me., April 17.—William Adams, charged with the alleged murder of his young step-daughter, Mrs. Ethel Morse Cummings, at his farmhouse in Albany, Tuesday afternoon, was arrested today immediately after the girl's funeral, held in a little school house opposite the Albany town house. He will be brought here for a preliminary hearing before Judge W. S. Jones of the municipal court.

Adams is about 45 years old. His stepdaughter was 17, and the wife of Sherman Cummings of Groveton, Vt., to whom she was married over a year ago.

It was stated today that Sergeant John B. Crowley of the police department was improving, slowly but surely, and that he would in all probability be able to be out and about in two or three weeks.

JESSE POMEROY'S KNIFE

In Possession of Man Who Lived Beside Him — Boy Always Showed Thirst for Blood

The fact that a Lowell man, George W. Clark, has in his possession the first knife with which the notoriously bloodthirsty Jesse Pomeroy, now serving a life sentence in the Charlestown penitentiary, committed his first blood taking crime became known today and Mr. Clark, who lives at 76 Perry street, told the writer some interesting facts about Pomeroy and his early life.

"I went to school with Pomeroy and played with him," said Mr. Clark, "and in fact he lived just across the street from me in Charlestown. I have seen it stated that Pomeroy first manifested his thirst for blood in South Boston, but that isn't so. It was in Charlestown, and I have the knife with which he tortured two boys almost to the point of death. I took the knife from him after assisting in knocking him down and thumping him.

"The knife has a pearl handle and in one of the end rivets there is a miniature stereopticon view, the subject of which, I think, is Bunker Hill monument. The knife is in Boston together with other things that I have stored there.

Caught in the Act

"I was always suspicious of Pomeroy, but somehow or other he seemed to have a very healthy dread of me. He was about three years my senior but I could always handle him. He was not quarrelsome but he had some mean traits. Up to the time that I took the knife away from him, however, it never dawned upon me that he had murder in his heart. He was then about 10 years old and the incident is as fresh in my memory today as it was an hour after it occurred. It was back of Powder Horn hill in Charlestown. I was on my way to Revere beach for a swim and there were other boys with me. I think I could recall their names but that is not necessary. I had taken off my shoes and was carrying them under my arm. As I crossed a field I stubbed my toe and stopped to nurse it. While sitting in the field I heard cries coming from the direction of a creek not many yards away. I called to my companions and we investigated.

The Death Torture

"We arrived at the creek just in time to prevent Pomeroy from torturing two boys to death. They were much smaller than he. He had stripped them of their clothing and was dipping one fellow head-first in the creek when we hollered. The other little fellow was lying on the bank and his back was a mass of knife wounds. Pomeroy had inflicted several cuts on the bodies of both of the boys, but none of the cuts were necessarily dangerous. We all piled on Pomeroy and I remember that I was the first to hit him. We knocked him down and I took the knife away from him. Of course we had to attend to his victims, as they were bleeding from almost numberless wounds, and Pomeroy got away.

Was Not Punished

"The case was reported but Pomeroy was not sent away at that time. I played with him after that but, of course, we mistrusted him. I remember another time when a lot of us were in swimming, Pomeroy displayed his horrible thirst for blood. A pig fell from a piggery, run and came towards us. The animal had cut its own throat somehow and was dying when we pulled it ashore. We dressed and started for home, and after going a little way we noticed that Pomeroy was not present although he had been swimming with us. Somebody suggested that we go around by the railroad track and see what he was doing. As we peeked around a building we saw Pomeroy carving the dead pig and there was a fiendish look in his face. He came towards us, however, instead of running away, and said he could not help doing what he had done. He said the thought of cutting the pig occurred to him the moment he saw it in the water."

Mr. Clark told all the details of the murder of Katie Curran and of Pomeroy's secreting the body in the cellar of the home of the girl's mother in South Boston. But this grusome story has been told and retold and Mr. Clark says he does not think that the other two incidents related here have ever been published.

MORE GREEKS COMING

The steamship Athenia of the Greek-American line, which was scheduled to land at New York yesterday, was delayed en route and did not throw its anchor until this morning. The ship carried 1200 first class passengers and 250 second class.

The immigrants are all coming from Greece and it is expected that at least 100 of them will come to Lowell, which is known as the Greek-American metropolis. Others are going west and many will settle at Nashua and Manchester, N. H. There are about 100 women in the party and it is believed that several of them will come to Lowell. Those coming to this city are expected here tomorrow morning.

ARREST FOR MURDER

EXPECTATION OF SEIZURE OF ALLEGED SLAYER DREW SCORES OF PEOPLE TO FUNERAL

NORWAY, Me., April 17.—With the expectation that an arrest for murder would be made at its conclusion scores of people gathered today in the little country schoolhouse at the cross roads opposite the Albany town house where a funeral service was held for Mrs. Ethel Cummings, the 17-year-old girl whose life was blotted out by a shotgun charge yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents at Albany.

The service was attended by the girl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Adams and her sister, Ivoreen, aged 14, A. P. Bassett, a coroner and state detective to whom a warrant returnable today was issued by Judge W. S. Jones of the Norway municipal court, also was among those assembled in the schoolhouse. He had specific instructions from County Attorney Dyer to serve the warrant this afternoon and was expected to make the arrest at the close of the service.

Rev. J. R. Little, pastor of the Universalist church at Bethel had charge of the service.

Miss Dolores Foster of North Billerica, accountant at the Talbot mills, will spend the holiday at her home in Groveton, N. H.

AGED HUNTER IN LOWELL

Speaks of His Experience in Alberta — Found Body of Man They Had Met

Charles Lirette of 179 Perkins street observed the 69th anniversary of his birth last month in the wilderness of Alberta, Canada, where he spent the past eight months hunting. Despite his advanced age the old hunter made a very successful trip and although he has been here but a few days, he is contemplating another trip in the woods for the early fall. During his long stay in the woods Mr. Lirette was accompanied by his son, Charles, Jr., a former resident of this city and now residing in Canada. The two hunters made a gruesome find in the woods when they came upon the body of a man named Gavin, whom they had met on their previous trip, and apparently the man had been dead for several months. They also found a letter written by the unfortunate man in which the deceased explained that he was dying from the effects of a disease known as black leg. A copy of his will was also found. The papers were turned over to the police officials of Derlingville, a small town in Alberta, while the remains of the dead man were buried in the woods.

CHARLES LIRETTE, SR.

Mr. Lirette in conversation with the writer said when he and his son entered the woods at Derlingville, he learned from the Indians that an old trapper was dead in the woods. They immediately set out to search for the body and it took the two men sixteen days before they located the body. It seems that Gavin, who was about fifty years of age went to the river bank to bathe his leg, when he was taken with a weak spell. Previous to that he had written a letter, as well as making out his will and the papers were found in his camp. Mr. Lirette had known the deceased for years and he said he was a clever trapper and lived practically all his life in the woods.

Mr. Lirette left Lowell last August and a few days later in company with his son he entered the woods and during his long stay in the wilderness he figures he has covered about 200 miles toward north. The pair of trappers caught six live fox, but they were able to keep but four, which they sold to fox raisers for $700. They valued their catch in their last hunting trip at about $1500. Among the furs they sold in Canada were those of 75 fox, 60 minks, 50 lynxs, 4 otters and several small furs, as well as that of a wolf. Mr. Lirette relates how the wolf was caught. He said a band of wolves had been following them for over a day when the two trappers located near a small stream of water. The wolves then encircled the camp and were about to make an attack when they were located. A fire was immediately built and the smoke chased the hungry wolves away but one of them was shot before it got very far. The fur was sold for $5 and besides the trappers received $10 from the government, a prize which is on every wolf caught.

The temperature in the woods from November to March varied from 30 to 60 below zero, but the men did not mind the cold at all. They were well clothed, and inasmuch as the weather was dry it had very little effect on the trappers. This is Mr. Lirette's third annual hunting trip to Alberta and next year he intends to go in another direction and hunt the beaver. The aged gentleman has done nothing but trapping and hunting for the past 40 years and he says he can earn enough in six months spent in the woods to keep him alive the whole year. Last year he brought his furs to this city and sold them to New York buyers, but he said this isn't a paying proposition and he will not do it again, for he can get more money for his catch at Derlingville, where the hunters are met by Canadian buyers, who relieve them right then and there of their load. He is the picture of health and feels none the worse for his long sojourn in the woods.

VETERAN ACTOR

Arthur McKee Rankin Former Manager of Nance O'Neil Dead

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—Arthur McKee Rankin, the veteran actor and for a time the manager of Nance O'Neil, of Lowell, Mass., died here.

CLIPS TO CLOSE WOUNDS

DR. LORTHIOIR DEMONSTRATES HIS METHOD TO VISITING SURGEONS AT N. Y. CONVENTION

NEW YORK, April 17.—The delegates to the congress of the International Surgical association let actual operations supersede technical discussion yesterday, the last day of the session.

An inspection of the Rockefeller Institute and Hospital for Medical Research was followed by a clinic at the Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled in East Forty-second street. Dr. Lorthioir, treasurer of the International association of Brussels, demonstrated his method of treating hernia—a method which omits factors American surgeons have come to regard as essential.

In Dr. Lorthioir's method the exterior incisions are held together by what is known as the Mechelin clip, an aluminum clamp or filament which is dropped into place by means of an automatic feeding and clamping machine. The clips, like stitches, are removed when the condition of the wound so warrants. The clip is well known to American surgeons, the majority of whom believe their present mode of ligature to be the superior.

There were six cases at the clinic. Dr. Lorthioir operated on two, Dr. C. G. Burdick on two, and Drs. J. P. Hoguet and W. B. Coley on one each. Among the witnesses were the wives of the visiting surgeons. In Hoguet's demonstration of the Blake method of operating he was assisted by Dr. Richard Derby, Col. Roosevelt's son-in-law.

Dr. Lorthioir operated yesterday on children. He treats only children and is considered the leading specialist in his work in Belgium, where it is said he had used his method on five thousand youngsters.

About fifty of the surgeons left last night to visit Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Chicago.

SLASHING AFFRAY

Barber Attacked Assailant With Razor at Brockton

BROCKTON, April 17.—Following a slashing affray, Frank Barrelli, was arrested today while being etherized at the hospital to which he was followed by a trail of blood.

His adversary was employed in a barber shop, where the affray took place. When attacked, while shaving a customer, he defended himself with his razor so effectively that he inflicted a wound five inches long over Barrelli's right temple.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

COURT ORDERS SETTLEMENT

Shortly before the adjournment of superior court this afternoon the case of Hill and Hall vs. Henry Thayer & Co. of Cambridge was settled by order of the court. The plaintiffs asked for $25,000 damages each as a result of an accident on the defendant company's property in which both of their husbands were killed.

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BACHELOR CLUB CONCERT

Musical Organization Presents "The Benedicts," a Musical Oddity With Catchy Songs

"The Benedicts," a musical oddity, presented by the famous 20th Century Bachelor club under the direction of Charles D. Slattery, made a big hit at Associate hall last evening and the applause which greeted the presentation of the program must have been gratifying to the members of the club who occupied places around a large table on the stage. The audience was large, and every part of the evening's program was splendidly carried out and although this group of musicians has conducted many successes in the past, last evening's affair probably excelled all their former efforts.

The work of every member of the club was of a fine order of merit, each of them giving the right spirit to his part to make it go well, and all deserved the liberal applause given. Mr. Slattery had general charge of the production and he was ably assisted by George Smith, as musical director. The chorus was also good and many expressions of approval were heard about the hall at its fine work. Music throughout the evening was furnished by the Bachelor Club orchestra and this proved to be one of the features of the evening.

It was nearly 8 o'clock when the curtain was drawn for the opening chorus and the stage presented a very pleasing scene. The background was in purple and white while several American flags were prettily arranged in the centre, make the effect very striking.

After the opening number, which was greeted with loud applause, Walter Mack, who possesses a fine baritone voice, sang "While the Rivers of Love Flow On," and the audience expressed their satisfaction by insisting upon an encore. Richard D. Donoghue, one of the three black faces in the company, made a great hit with his song number, "Within the Law," while Joseph Murphy, basso, pleased with a selection entitled "The Bells." "When I Dream of Old Erin I'm Dreaming of You," by John Devlin, proved a great favorite, but the climax of the evening came when William Marren stepped in front of the footlights and gave one of his latest hits called "When I'm all Dressed Up and No Place to Go." Mr. Marren injected considerable local comedy into his number and was obliged to respond to no less than five encores, and then quit only because time would not allow him to go further.

"Dreams of Mother" by Eugene McCarthy was very well received, while John J. Dalton brought down the house with a well selected song number. Ed. Shea made his usual good impression with a song entitled "Rafferty's Chimes," and also carried out a few clever dance steps that pleased. "Jimmy" Roane made a hit with a very catchy number, "I Love the Ladies," well rendered, and John J. Gleason ended up the entertainment in fine style by singing "I Love the Good Old United States." Several clever local hits were sprung during the entertainment and all were well received by the audience.

After the entertainment dancing was begun and continued till midnight, with the exception of a short intermission, to music furnished by the Bachelor Club orchestra and if anyone failed to enjoy the evening's program it was not the fault of the committee in charge.

MR. CHARLES D. SLATTERY
General Manager.

HORSE RACING MONDAY

The Lowell Driving club will hold horse races on Boylston street next Monday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock and it is believed that some interesting contests will take place. Any person wishing to enter a horse in any of the races must make application at the office of the club, corner of Middlesex and Thorndike streets, sometime tomorrow evening.

IN STERLING LIVES A GIRL

Who Suffered As Many Girls Do—Tells How She Found Relief.

Sterling, Conn.—"I am a girl of 22 years and I used to faint away every month and was very weak. I was also bothered a lot with female weakness. I read your little book 'Wisdom for Women,' and I saw how others had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and decided to try it, and it has made me feel like a new girl and I am now relieved of all these troubles. I hope all young girls will get relief as I have. I never felt better in my life."—Miss BERTHA A. PELOQUIN, Box 116, Sterling, Conn.

Massena, N. Y.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I highly recommend it. If anyone wants to write to me I will gladly tell her about my case. I was certainly in a bad condition as my blood was all turning to water. I had pimples on my face and a bad color, and for five years I had been troubled with suppression. The doctors called it 'Anemia and Exhaustion,' and said I was all run down. But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me out all right."—Miss LAVISA BYRES, Box 71, Massena, N. Y.

Young Girls, Heed This Advice.

Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion should immediately seek restoration of health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

THE MAN IN THE MOON

The disinterested patronizer of basketball and baseball games and even concerts and other forms of entertainment must be forcibly struck by the unpleasant fact that too often he becomes the victim of fakes and fakerism. He has good reasons for believing that certain games of basketball or baseball he has witnessed are frame-ups pure and simple; and it is certainly a painful experience he undergoes when, having given up his quarter or a half he is oblged to endure two or three hours of exhibitions a really good amateur would feel ashamed to be associated with. Often we attend entertainments simply to help out a worthy object, and are prepared for what we receive; but it occasionally happens, as it has happened to the Man in the Moon rather recently you pay fully anticipating a genuine treat, yet it is not long before you know you have been stung.

I know it is not the proper thing to criticise local productions of this nature. You know how the newspaper reports of this or that concert or entertainment always are so laudatory to the instrumentalist, singer or actor, that really Harold Bauer, Kreisler, Madame Homer, McCormack, Mrs. Fiske or Warfield have little on the local stars. So thickly do the reporters honeyize their write-ups of everything of this kind that real merit is seldom distinguished. This, and worse, is generally the effect of over-indulgence in lauding indifferent amateurs and professional bluffs of colossal pretensions and nerve of which latter Lowell has a few. I would not have merit unrecognized nor would I withhold praise where deserved, but the Man in the Moon respectfully suggests to his imaginative fellow journalists that artists, musicians, baseball players and other species are not made at the desks of the newspaper offices.

I recall an incident which occurred in this city several years ago, when a young man of pale countenance and long hair put something over on several persons. This young man, a piano player of very modest parts, by dint of fake newspaper testimonials which told of his great accomplishments as a pianist, worked up quite an interest in the "recital" he was to give. The program he was to perform as advertised was worthy of Paderewski himself. Those who gave up their dollar were made to listen to some piano playing which was the veriest rot. It is safe to say that a more impulsive audience would have stale-egged the long haired young man from the stage. But it didn't; and the pianist did pocket the dollars and forget to pay for the hall. He also forgot to pay the printers. A few years later he was arrested for alleged burglary. Somehow or other he escaped punishment and disappeared from local scenes.

Fake Concert

I have cited an extreme case of fakerism. Fakes and fakerism differ only in degree. Not so long ago I gave up 50 cents and attended a concert which consisted of 19 or 20 numbers or 2 1-2 cents per number. Advertised to begin at 8 o'clock, it finally started at 8.35. I listened to some poor amateur piano playing and to an orchestra which was announced as "second to none," and, believe, me, I stood it as long as I could and then made my escape. I listened to the head-liner, a great opera singer, sing wretchedly a single little song from a popular opera, wretchedly accompanied on a wretched piano. The song called for little or no dramatic antics and just why the great singer raised both hands above his head as he ended I couldn't comprehend. I think, however, he wished to remind the audience that it was now time for their vociferous applause.

Reading in a morning paper the report of this concert, I learned that it was really one of the finest we ever enjoyed. Nuff sed.

Waterways Unguarded

Former Commissioner Harry W. J. Howe, who usually thoroughly investigates a matter before he expresses himself, has once more told us in a letter to this paper of the death of a child caused by negligence in affording adequate protection by way of fencing the brook into which the child fell. Mr. Howe has at other times sought to arouse the public to demand that effective measures be taken to lessen the danger of fatal accidents of this character, but he has met with but little or no encouragement. Former Councilman Coughlin endeavored several years ago to do something, but further than placing here and there some life-saving devices which have been permitted to become useless, nothing was done. The politicians smiled because, probably, they saw no promise of graft in the proposition; and while public attention has been called to these death-traps since the new charter arrived, the powers that have been and are, have evidently considered it, if considered at all, beneath their august notice.

Meanwhile the death traps continue to exist, and as records would conclusively show, have done a thriving business. They exist along waterways controlled by the Locks and Canals company, the Wamesit Power Co., in places where the city of Lowell has jurisdiction and in suburban ledge holes owned by private individuals. Of course drowning accidents will continue to occur, but that the number of such accidents among irresponsible and adventuresome children could be greatly lessened by the simple safeguarding of dangerous places goes without question. Yet nothing is done. One might think that the life of a child was nothing; or if but a child of the poor, hardly of sufficient importance to receive consideration from the hands of great capitalists and exalted public servants.

Noted Pianist

Mr. Pasquale Fallarico, the young pianist who gave a recital in Colonial hall last February and in which he made so favorable an impression has been the guest of his friend, Carl Mason at the latter's home in Fourth avenue, this week. Mr. Tallarico was accompanied by Paul Mason, the illustrator, both coming from Wilton, N. H., where they have studios. They attended the concert given by the Haydn quartet in the Worthen Street Baptist church on Wednesday evening. Mr. Tallarico made many friends in Lowell upon his recent appearance here, and they will be interested to learn that he contemplates giving another recital here next season. Paul Mason, a Lowell boy and a graduate of our high school, has made excellent progress in his painting and composition work during the winter past, his work exciting much favorable comment among Boston artists and publishers, the latter having accepted much of his work and given commissions for more. This will please his Lowell friends.

Clocks That Keep Time

Notwithstanding the fact that clocks are among the most common and every day objects we encounter, they have afforded themes for poets and give object lessons in mechanics and philosophy. Longfellow has given us a poetic picture of the life of a clock, and everybody knows the lines about "My Grandfather's Clock was too tall for the shelf so it stood 90 years on the floor, etc." Some old clocks in homes and situated away up in church belfrys and town house towers are venerable objects that we would not part with at any cost. Just as Daniel Webster at Bunker Hill addressed the revolutionary veterans as "Venerable men!" we thus could fitly refer to many old clocks, "Venerable clocks," ticking away the time between our birth and death, the nearest human device to perpetual motion, the faithful recorder of the hours with its eternal "Forever—never. Never—forever."

There's no gainsaying the usefulness of clocks—when they are running correctly. But when they don't run at all or don't run right, of course they are worse than no clocks at all. Now the big clock in city hall tower is all right. It's a good clock—a great piece of mechanism. It is usually on time. About every office in the city building is ornamented with a clock and some cost more than others. My attention has been called to the fact that no two of them keep the same time. Go into one office and you observe it is 10.30, another will show 10.15 and so on, all recording different time. One or two of them aren't going at all and haven't for weeks. How does anybody expect to see a business administration of city affairs, when the city hall people can't have their clocks running correctly? How, indeed!

The Old Time Promenade

The days have long since gone when I of a Saturday or Sunday evening used to join the promenaders between Towers corner and Huntington hall. If any engage in this inspiring pastime nowadays, they make up an entirely new set of young men and women. Since the old days there have taken place some changes between the points mentioned—the two important ones being the creation of Palmer street and the disappearance of the old Hamilton wall. For new buildings along that time-honored route since that time we have the Bradley building, Central block, the Middlesex Trust company and the Y. M. C. A. building, wretchedly located, but withal a building of parts and of fine appointments. Several buildings have been remodeled, among them being Wyman's Exchange, the old city hall building, Tyler's block and the old Lowell Inn, which will soon blossom forth as the "Harrisonia." There still stand several more that that could well stand great improvement. Still the young men and women walk these sidewalks, yet I fancy the practice is not of the proportions it once was. The many cheap show places which have sprung up within the past few years no doubt draw many young people away from that old time custom of walking back and forth on the two main thoroughfares of the city.

The Weather

It is not a pleasant thing to say a word in disparagement of the usually bright, yet fickle month of April; but we are obliged to admit that her sunny skies have thus far been all too few, and her rainy, blustering blizzardly days all too many. This weather coming in this Easter week when we hoped for bright opportunities to unload some of the accumulated piety and regain lost physical vigor is particularly depressing. It obstructs. Think of singing—but you just can't—in the face of these April blizzards, that old song we used to sing:

"'Tis a welcome, welcome April shower
Which will make—will make—the sweet, May flower."

THE MAN IN THE MOON.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors, who by their kind acts and words of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings endeavored to lighten our great sorrow in the death of our dear son and brother.

(Signed)
Mr. Robert W. Proctor and Family.

RICH MAN'S SON IN JAIL

MALCOLM GIFFORD IS CHARGED WITH MURDER OF FRANK J. CLUTE, A CHAUFFEUR

ALBANY, April 18.—Malcolm Gifford, Jr., aged 19, son of a wealthy manufacturer of Hudson, N. Y., is in jail here, charged with the murder of Frank J. Clute, a chauffeur.

Clute was killed April 1, 1913, while driving an unidentified man from here to Troy. The passenger shot Clute in the back of the head, robbed him and threw the body into a ditch. The slayer wore a gray overcoat and a light fedora hat.

On that night Gifford, who had been expelled from a private school a month previously, but never had gone home nor notified his parents, left the house of a friend, Derrick Boardman, in Troy, ostensibly to attend a dance.

He was garbed in a dress suit, a gray overcoat and a light fedora hat, it is said.

Several hours later Gifford appeared at the dance. Witnesses before the grand jury yesterday said his clothing was soiled. The next morning, it was testified, he put his overcoat in one friend's suitcase, his hat in another, borrowed a cap and left for home.

Recently property belonging to Clute was found under the eaves of the house where Gifford stayed on the night of the killing.

A pair of gloves, of the same brand Gifford was wearing when detained by detectives, were found near Clute's body. These, detectives declared, Gifford attempted to hide when they apprehended him at Chatham, Mass., last Tuesday, while he was on his way to Easthampton, Mass., where he was a student.

He was brought here and his detention kept a secret, even from his parents until yesterday.

Clute was shot with an automatic pistol. Authorities say Gifford owned such a weapon. Gifford could drive a machine. An attempt was made by the slayer of Clute to start the automobile after the killing. Footprints showed this. The footprints have been preserved and now are in the custody of District Attorney Harold D. Alexander, who obtained the indictment.

The grand jury returned an indictment and yesterday Gifford was arraigned before Supreme Court Judge Chester. A plea of not guilty was entered for him.

GOOD REPUTATION

EASTHAMPTON, April 18.—Malcolm Gifford, Jr., who is under arrest at Albany, N. Y., charged with the murder of Frank J. Clute, was a student at a seminary here last winter. He entered the school the first of the year and left at the beginning of the spring vacation three weeks ago. It was supposed he had gone to his home in Hudson, N. Y. He did not return at the opening of the spring term and nothing had been heard from him. According to the principal of the seminary Gifford, had an excellent reputation and was a good student.

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Bill Affecting Pearson Postponed Again—Abuse of Arrested Persons by the Police

BOSTON, April 18.—Democrats who with certain of the republicans have long been restive over some members' habit of skipping the Friday sessions of the legislature, put them on record yesterday by springing a roll-call just before adjournment. Thanks to the warning of what was up, 188 of the 240 members were recorded, though some of the men had to be hauled in from the highways and byways to make even that total.

Pearson Bill

All bills and reports in connection with the tenure of office of the adjutant-general were postponed until Tuesday in the house on Beacon Hill yesterday. Speaker Cushing reserved his decision on the point of order raised that the bill reported by a majority of the committee on military affairs should be referred to ways and means, because it involved additional expenditure.

A bill requiring owners of apartment houses to keep posted conspicuously a statement showing the class of construction of the building, was submitted by Mr. Hays of Boston, who declared there have been built in Boston within a few years many apartment houses where first-class rents are charged and where the inhabitants imagine themselves living in places of first-class construction, but where the construction is often inferior.

Mr. Glennon of Cambridge introduced an order that the Boston Transit commission report at once upon establishing a station at Dewey square as soon as the new tunnel is completed. It was referred to the committee on rules.

Police Abuse

After a long debate the bill of Mr. McManus of Boston to prevent the ill treatment of arrested persons by police was substituted by a rising vote, 67 to 36. Mr. McManus said he knew of a case in station 4, Boston, where a prisoner was so badly beaten by three policemen that when he regained consciousness he was lying in a pool of blood on the floor of his cell.

The bill providing a $10 penalty for violation of the state board of health regulations on the keeping and exposing for sale of food was passed to be engrossed with an amendment to except the Boston market district.

The bill authorizing oyster cultivation licenses in Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket counties was ordered to a third reading. By a rising vote, 47 to 28, the bill of Mr. Lawler of Boston providing for a recall of the mayor of Boston on the petition of a majority of the voters was postponed.

Senator Williams of Dedham secured suspension of all rules in the senate to let through the bill to validate the action of Wellesley in accepting the act for the compensation of workmen on public works. The bill was given all its readings, engrossed and sent to the house.

Senator Doyle moved reconsideration of the vote of Thursday refusing to engross the Assessors' Appointment bill, and further action was postponed until Tuesday. Further consideration of the Boston Transit commission was postponed till Wednesday.

In the Senate

The legal affairs committee in the senate reported a bill to validate the proceedings of the town of Wellesley in accepting an act for the compensation of workmen injured on public works. Rules were suspended and the bill was given its several readings.

Senator Doyle moved for reconsideration of the defeat of the bill placing assessors in cities under civil service. Postponement was had to Thursday next.

Senator Horgan offered his new transit commission bill which reduces the membership on the board from five to three. Postponed to Wednesday next.

Bill for incorporation of insurance brokers was postponed to Wednesday.

In the senate the following bills were engrossed: Relative to consolidation of trust companies, relative to apportionment of sidewalk and curbstone assessments, relative to operation of boilers in apartment houses.

The senate ordered to a third reading bills to extend time for occupancy of Grafton colony buildings, to authorize county of Suffolk to pension May I. Everett, to authorize city of Chelsea to refund certain indebtedness, to revive charter of Essex Hosiery company.

Adverse reports were accepted on bills to authorize affirmations instead of oaths, on recall of judicial decisions, on bill relative to Sunday bootblacking, on bill for resignation of nurses, on assessing real and personal property at its true selling value. The adverse report on bill prohibiting use of glucose in confectionery was postponed to Thursday. The bill relative to wages of laborers and mechanics on public works was postponed to Tuesday, and the bill providing one day's rest in 15 for railroad employes was postponed to Wednesday.

Curley School Bill

Mayor Curley's bill for the abolition of the parental school in Boston and for the establishment of a disciplinary day school was recommended yesterday by the committee on rules.

The new school would be used for habitual truants. The schoolhouse commissioners are authorized to erect and equip the new school as approved by the mayor and street commissioners. Power is given the city to sell the land now occupied by the parental school.

Holiday party, Asso., Miner's, tonight.

VISITING DAY

Observed Yesterday at the Local Telephone Exchange

The Lowell Telephone exchange has been entertaining visitors at its plant in Appleton street for the last two or three days and yesterday afternoon about 400 visitors from this city and surrounding towns were shown through the big building. The company had sent out a general invitation to everybody to come and inspect the plant and "get acquainted," and Manager C. J. Leathers says he doesn't want the people to wait for any invitation but to come right along and visit the plant at any time. "It is a good thing for us to have people visit the plant," he said, "because after having witnessed what is going on and what we are up against they can the more readily appreciate conditions."

The reception committee that showed the visitors about the building consisted of C. J. Leathers, manager; F. P. Gray, Charles F. Stanley, W. C. Johnson, wire chief; E. E. Sargent, Edward Streeter, Miss Nellie Snow, chief operator and twelve of her assistants.

There were a great many things that appeared very wonderful to the visitors for the average telephone user has but a very slight appreciation of the things with which the operator has to contend. The lightning rapidity with which the operators worked seemed almost unbelieveable.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the plant inspected was the spacious room in which are employed the telephone operators for local and toll calls. Here, Miss Nellie F. Snow, the chief operator demonstrated the methods employed, and her instruction was especially interesting from the fact that she had a table which enabled her to indicate clearly and rapidly how a call is received at the exchange, and what the operator is required to do in the process of establishing communication.

Attention was called to the little light which twinkles in response to the removal of the receiver and indicates the desire for service, and the fact was impressed upon subscribers that the rapid manipulation of the receiver lever is not effective, for it causes no flash at the switchboard, whereas the slow working of the receiver lever is always effective.

Patriots and Miner's, Asso., tonight.

There will be an anniversary high mass at the Immaculate Conception church, Monday morning at 8 o'clock for Mr. Michael Leonard.

MILITANTS AT IT AGAIN

BELFAST, Ireland, April 18.—The Belfast corporation's tea rooms in Bellevue gardens were destroyed by fire today with a very large loss. The fire is believed by the police to have been the work of militant suffragettes.

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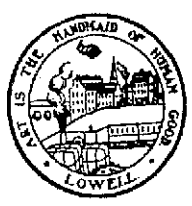

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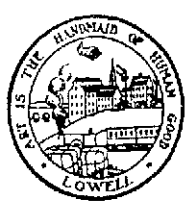

Bids for Printing Annual Report
Bids will be received for the Printing of the Annual Report of the Board of Park Commissioners up to 10 a. m., April 20th, at their office, City Hall. Information pertaining to same may be obtained at the office, City Hall, prior to April 24th.
The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
ALEXANDER E. ROUNTREE,
Secretary, Board of Park Commissioners.

MOVIES DISPLACE DRAMA

FINE ARTS THEATRE, IN CHICAGO, CONVERTED INTO MOVING PICTURE HOUSE

CHICAGO, April 18.—The Fine Arts theatre, which has been the home of drama and musical comedy since it was constructed, will be transformed into a moving picture playhouse in two weeks, it was announced today.

The Fine Arts theatre is the seventh down-town playhouse that has changed to moving pictures in the last 18 months and the third in the last two weeks.

STEAMER ARRIVES

NEW YORK, April 18.—Arrived str Cedric from Liverpool.

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Southern Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.35	8.37
6.25	7.26	6.00	8.58
6.47	7.30	7.13	8.24
b6.40	7.33	7.50	8.35
6.57	8.00	n8.21	9.28
7.21	8.05	9.00	9.39
7.56	8.57	9.30	10.08
z7.28	8.49	11.05	11.43
8.56	9.57	12.30	1.09
n9.12	10.24	2.00	3.06
9.48	10.30	3.00	3.46
10.00	11.10	b3.44	5.02
11.33	12.15	4.00	4.38
12.15	1.05	z4.14	5.32
1.45	2.25	5.00	5.38
2.50	3.27	b5.21	6.32
3.59	4.40	5.35	6.34
4.20	5.27	b5.51	7.11
5.51	6.28	6.14	7.23
b5.17	7.22	8.00	8.38
6.42	7.25	8.30	9.08
7.41	8.26	10.30	11.38
9.55	10.40	11.40	12.26

Portland Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
6.45	7.50	z6.40	8.06
8.05	9.07	9.16	10.29
9.35	10.53	10.50	11.52
10.05	12.07	11.50	12.55
12.02	1.13	3.30	4.46
z1.27	2.30	5.14	6.11
3.40	4.41	5.05	7.07
5.15	6.28	7.00	8.11
7.05	8.06	8.30	11.05
10.30	11.28		

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

8.20	9.25	8.00	9.15
12.10	1.16	12.00	1.07
2.50	3.56	3.30	4.47
5.45	7.00	5.20	6.38
8.55	10.04	8.45	9.48

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.47	7.30	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.58	9.30	10.08
8.30	9.26	11.05	11.43
9.00	9.58	1.00	1.59
10.20	11.17	5.30	6.24
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Mrs. W. M. Myers has returned from a month's stay at Moers, N. Y.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

Col. Butler Ames and Mr. Adelbert Ames, Jr., will sail Tuesday for Europe. They will return by July 1.

Mrs. C. A. Lincoln of Hoyt avenue has been entertaining Mrs. A. W. Green of Hartford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Abbott of Westford have returned from a trip to Panama and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bailey have returned from a pleasant stay at Daytona Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Sidney K. Fuller of Waterville, Me., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Hill of 27 Bellevue street.

Mrs. W. F. Stevens of West Meadow road is visiting Mrs. Wilbur Haywood in New York.

There will be a month's mind mass Monday morning, April 20, at St. Margaret's church at 7.30 a. m. for Mrs. Johanna M. Galvin.

There will be an anniversary mass of requiem at St. Peter's church, Monday morning at 7 o'clock for the late John Donahue

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FAVOR REPEAL OF TOLLS

N. Y. Chamber of Commerce is Unanimous in its Support—Olney Supports President

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Support for the proposed repeal of the tolls exemption clause of the Panama canal act was given yesterday before the senate canals committee by representatives of the New York chamber of commerce who said that their organization had approved of repeal by an overwhelming majority.

Their testimony caused a wordy conflict between Senator Bristow, opposing repeal, and Edward F. Page, a member of the chamber. After Mr. Page had declared the United States should repeal the exemption clause in order to avoid breaking a contract, Senator Bristow asked whether the supporters of repeal could not be called traitors to America, as well as the opponents could be called violators of contracts.

"Those are catch words used by demagogues," replied the witness "but I do not intend to use any personalities. I do not believe the opponents of repeal have any right to question the loyalty of those on the other side."

Senator Bristow wanted to know whether the New York chamber of commerce had not been originally chartered before the revolution by King George of England. Mr. Page replied that was true, but that it now had a charter from the state of New York and he added that during the Civil war the organization gave money and loyally supported the Union.

Mr. Page declared that national honor and character were business assets to any nation, and that the industries of the United States in the future would largely de dependent upon exports. The business man of the country could do little if the nation did not keep its contracts, he added.

Eugene H. Outerbridge, an importer and exporter, said that on the basis of moral right, business and political expediency, and economic advisability, the preponderating opinion of business men with whom he had talked was against exemption of American vessels from tolls.

Senator O'Gorman, during his testimony, brought out that the Merchants association, a larger association than the chamber of commerce, had gone on record in favor of exemption.

A telegram approving of President Wilson's course on the tolls question, signed by Richard Olney, secretary of state in President Cleveland's cabinet, and other Massachusetts citizens, was read by Senator Simmons.

70 SURGEONS AT CLINIC

BALTIMORE, April 18.—Seventy eminent surgeons of Europe who have been attending the international congress of surgeons at New York, watched a clinic at Johns Hopkins hospital today. Later they inspected the buildings of the hospital and medical school.

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Thurs.—By Warren Reid
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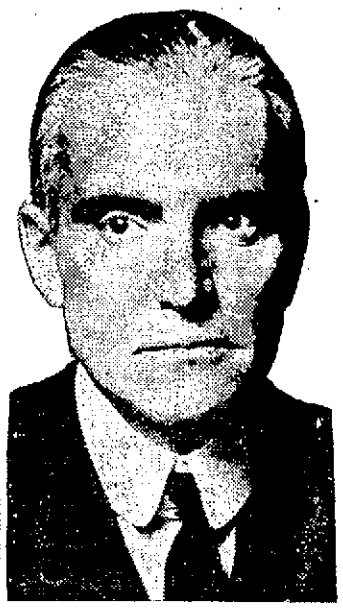
SECRET SERVICE MEN

Continued

Arthur Woods today to assign a secret service squad of eight men under command of a police captain to guard Mayor Mitchel.

Mayor Mitchel, after seeing that Mr. Polk was made as comfortable as possible at the New York hospital, returned to his office and finished the



FRANK L. POLK

day there as customary. Last night he attended a dinner at the New York Press club where he told the members of their organization that he had expected some such happening as the act of Mahoney but that "it does seem unfair that anyone else should have to take the consequences of the hazard that properly belongs to me."

The mayor went on to say that he did not believe the attack on him was due to the concerted action of a group of agitators. "When such a thing as that happens," he said, "it is the product of the disordered brain of some unfortunate individual—the man who does not think straight, who warps the facts that he partly gathers from the daily press in recording the action of the government."

Decided to Kill Mayor

To Police Captain Thomas Tunney, the mayor's would-be assassin said he had called at the city hall to remonstrate with Mayor Mitchel and had been "insulted" there.

"I then decided to kill him," he said. "I went down to the city hall Wednesday with the intention of killing him then, but I cooled off. Today (Friday) I went down there again with the intention of finishing the job."

The prisoner then told of waiting from 10 o'clock until the mayor and his party started to enter their automobile shortly after one o'clock and how he stood barely five feet from the object of his fancied hatred when he fired. He expressed that he had attempted to take Mayor Mitchel's life and was particularly sorry that the bullet had hit Mr. Polk.

Mahoney was born March 17, 1842, near Cork, Ireland, and came to this country about 60 years ago.

In his diary and in conversation with Capt. Tunney, Mahoney appeared to have a special grievance against the Masons and Odd Fellows and he also appeared to hold notions of wrongs against Andrew Carnegie and to have visionary ideas as to the proper conduct of the police department and other notions indicating a radical and erratic if not dangerous turn of mind.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Young Pirates challenges any team in the city under 12 years of age. Send all challenges to either George Pelletier, 153 School street, or Alder Bourgeois, 40 Arlington street.

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AS THE EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE UNDER THE WILL OF CALEB PHILBRICK, I SHALL SELL TO WHOMSOEVER WILL BID THE MOST AT ABSOLUTE AUCTION SALE AND COMPLY WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE, THE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY NUMBERED 389 WALKER STREET—BETWEEN WESTFORD AND GROVE STREETS. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SALE, THE PROPERTY HAS BEEN DIVIDED INTO TWO LOTS.

LOT ONE

Lot One comprises the very substantial and nice looking two and one-half story house with slated roof and granite foundation——numbered 389 Walker street. It has eight rooms, lower and upper square hall, also bathroom, pantry and laundry. Each one of the thirteen aforementioned rooms is unusually spacious; there is also a large unfinished attic—the size of the house and lighted by four dormer windows—that could be very easily finished into four chambers; the cellar, which is also the size of the house, is high posted; has concrete floor, is lighted from three sides, and has set off in convenient places a vegetable room, a preserve closet, shelving for winter storage of plants and coal bins. The lower floor is finished in natural wood with the exception of the parlor, and the windows are equipped with inside folding blinds to match; the ceilings of this floor were kalsomined, the wall repapered, and the woodwork newly dressed within twelve months; the pantry has large soapstone sink, marble pastry shelf, and closet cabinets; the laundry is at the westerly end of the house, is equipped with soapstone tubs, and summer cooking range. The house is heated throughout by an Arco "Ideal" steam boiler, numbered 2-22S, installed new within two years. Very few houses of so solid and complete a character as is this house are erected in the present day. With the exception of minor and the most ordinary repairs, it is in excellent condition throughout—from top to bottom. The living conveniences, particularly in the way of closets and drawer cabinets, are very noticeable, and the interior layout is unusually cheerful and attractive. The land with Lot One possesses a total area of some 7250 square feet, with a frontage of 50 feet on Walker street; the house sets back 15 feet from the sidewalk, is in the center of the frontage of the lot, is provided with broad open area on all four sides, and in its rear is a splendid garden plot about 50x50 feet; upon the premises are three grape vines trained on trellises, an apple tree, a quince tree, many rose bushes, also much lawn and shrubbery.

LOT TWO

Lot Two is a level plot of land 40x145 feet—40 ft. frontage on Walker street; it is laid down to lawn with garden plot 40x50 feet in the rear; has a group of six fruit trees; about the lawn are four rose bushes; at the front is a remarkable ailanthus shade tree, in the center is a maple shade tree. It adjoins the residence on the south side, is ready for immediate improvement, is desirable for many reasons, requires neither grading, filling, nor top dressing, in fact is already advanced to the point of building.

IN GENERAL

The Westford Street line of trolley cars is within two minutes' actual and comfortable walk to the south; the trunk lines of trolley cars on Branch street are within four minutes' actual and comfortable walk to the north. The premises, of course, are in sight at any time; the house, however, will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. the day of sale or before by making an appointment so to do by telephoning 617M Lowell. The sale will take place upon the premises, regardless of any condition of the weather, on Friday, the 24th day of April, 1914, beginning promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Lot One is to be sold first and its sale will be immediately followed by that of Lot Two. Each lot will be sold to the highest bona fide bidder. The purchaser of Lot One must deposit with or satisfactorily secure to the auctioneers $400, just as soon as the lot is struck off; the purchaser of Lot Two must do the same with $200; of the purchase money for each lot possibly 60 per cent. may be had upon mortgage with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. All inquiries must be made at the office of the auctioneers.

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AFTERNOON AND EVENING

FUNDS ARE LACKING FOR SUMMER PLAYGROUND

West Centralville Grounds Will Be Abandoned The Coming Season

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LOOK

Patriots Day Monday

ASSOCIATE HALL

AFTERNOON AND EVENING

DANCING

The Only Real Dance Hall In the City

MINER'S ORCHESTRA THE ONLY REAL DANCE MUSIC MUSIC IN THE CITY

Admission, 25c

Receiver's Sale

By authority conferred upon me and by order of the Bankruptcy court, I am to conduct the business of the stationery and book store at 79 Merrimack street, Lowell, and I am now offering for sale the merchandise in the store, regardless of its cost. The stock consists of bottled inks, mucilage, pastes, pound and box paper, leather goods, games, office supplies, novelties of all kinds, religious books, beads, standard books, etc., and must be sold at once.

The store will be open until further notice during business hours.

BERNARD F. GATELY, Receiver.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight; Sunday unsettled; generally fair; south to southwest winds.

THE LOWELL SUN

7 O'CLOCK

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Must Salute Flag or Fight

PATRIOTS' DAY IN THIS CITY

Old Sixth Regiment Will Hold Reunion at Memorial Hall—Base Ball Season Opens at Spalding Park — Track Meet on South Common — Other Events

Patriots day will be observed in a fitting manner on Monday by the surviving members of the Old Sixth regiment, who will meet at Memorial hall in this city, to commemorate the 53d anniversary of the Civil war. The aged veterans will hold a business meeting which will be followed by a visit to Monument square, and a banquet in the afternoon.

It is expected that about 50 veterans will attend the festivities, which will be held at Memorial hall. The business meeting will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at which the election of officers will be held. Immediately after the closing of the meeting the veterans will repair to Monument square where special exercises will be held and then they will return to the Memorial hall banquet room where a dinner will be enjoyed.

The rollcall will be read and a silent toast to the memory of the 14 members who departed during the past year will be given. The reunion will be a most happy one for the surviving members of the Old Sixth regiment, who will listen to interesting remarks on events of years gone by.

Stores and Factories Close

The cotton mills, shoe shops, machine shops and other industries closed this noon, not to reopen again

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PRES. WILSON'S FINAL MESSAGE TO HUERTA

President Declares That if Huerta Fails to Fire Salute Immediately, Fleet Will Seize Vera Cruz and Tampico

WASHINGTON, April 18.—President Wilson answered Huerta's defiance shortly after noon today by declaring that if Huerta did not recede from his position the American fleet would be concentrated at Vera Cruz.

Secretary Bryan prepared President Wilson's answer which was immediately sent to Mexico City. It set forth that unless Huerta accepts the American demands immediately the plan for seizure of Tampico and Vera Cruz will be carried out without waiting for Admiral Badger to reach Mexican waters.

Seizure Will Be Carried Out

The plan for seizing Vera Cruz and Tampico also includes the seizure of the railway from Vera Cruz to Mexi-

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Third Edition

MANY PERMITS GIVEN FOR YARD FIRES

Residents in Earnest in Clean-up Work—Pine Trees at the Lowell General Hospital Diseased—Changes Ordered in Schools by State Inspector

Today is the first of three days set aside by Mayor Murphy as preliminary to clean-up week and according to the number of permits for "yard" fires taken out at the office of the fire chief at the Central fire station and at Commissioner Carmichael's office at city hall, there will be some smoke in Lowell this afternoon. Between the first of March and the first of December it is necessary to get a permit in order to burn rubbish even on your own premises and the fire chief says it is a very good law, too, because of the fact that a great many serious fires have been set by rubbish fires in yards and streets.

The mayor has included Sunday in the three preliminary clean-up days.

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TRADERS BANK DIVIDEND

THE DEPOSITORS WILL PROBABLY HEAR GOOD NEWS FROM RECEIVER MURRAY NEXT WEEK

Receiver Murray of the Traders bank announced some time ago that the depositors would probably get a dividend in April. It is understood that either a dividend or notice of a dividend will be announced next week.

Get your seeds and garden fertilizers at Cover's, 150 Middle street. Phone 4000.

GOING TO CONCORD

MANY LOWELL PEOPLE WILL VISIT CONCORD AND LEXINGTON ON MONDAY

If plans carry, a goodly number of Lowell people will go to Lexington and Concord on Monday to participate in the observance of Patriots day. Quite a number of automobile and trolley parties have been organized and now everything depends on the weather clerk. The attractions at Concord will include a band concert, ball game and track meet. All of these events will take place in the afternoon and the band concert will be from 2 to 5 o'clock.

WILL BUILD BUNGALOW

Hugh T. Johnson has granted a permit for the erection of a bungalow in East Merrimack street near Daniels street. The building will be 26 feet two inches by 42 feet and four inches. It will have five rooms, pantry and bath and the estimated cost is $2000.

MOTOR-BUSS CARS LOWELL TO LAWRENCE

To Run Every 40 Minutes in Either Direction — Amos P. Best the Man Behind—New Line Will Meet Public Demand for Quick Service

A motor-buss line between Lowell and Lawrence is the very latest thing on the calendar, and before one month has passed it will be possible to reach Lawrence in 40 minutes, or less time, for the small sum of 15 cents, riding by motor-buss.

Amos P. Best is the man behind and he will start with two cars. The cars will be built along lines similar to the semi-convertible electric cars and will have a seating capacity of 24 or 25. Mr. Best says that if business is very rushing and passengers should want to stand a car would probably accommodate about 35 people.

In looking the field over Mr. Best decided on the car known as the White car. It will be a 30-horse power car and will carry about one ton and a half.

Mr. Best discussed the proposition with The Sun today and he is very enthusiastic. "I feel that the thing is going to be a success from the start," he said, "and while I am going to start with two cars, I will increase the number if the business warrants it. The cars will leave Lowell and Lawrence every forty minutes and I think we can cut the forty-minute time down some unless we have to make too many stops. The cars will be thoroughly

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innings had been played with the score Lowell, 3; St. Anselm's, 0.

The college boys at that time had touched Shenk for two hits though unable to get a run while on the other hand the Lowell team had made three runs without getting a hit.

ORDERED TO TAMPICO

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., April 18.—The United States auxiliary ship Leonidas was ordered today to sail for Tampico Wednesday. The collier Mars also is preparing to go to Tampico.

NEWSBOY KNOCKED DOWN

By a Motor Cyclist at Corner of Central and Market Streets This Afternoon

Five-year-old John Brody, newsboy, was struck and knocked down by a bicycle near the corner of Central and Market streets shortly after 3 o'clock, this afternoon but fortunately was not seriously injured. The lad was crossing the street when the cyclist, whose name could not be learned, turned the corner at a fair speed and ran directly into the lad, throwing him to the street. Young Brody was removed to his home in the vicinity of the South common while the bicycle rider continued on his way.

DEATHS

MARTEL—Marie B. A. Martel, aged 1 month and 11 days, died today at the home of the parents, Euclide and Rosanna Martel, 46 Mt. Pleasant street.

COLLEGE HAZERS SUSPENDED

EASTON, Pa., April 18—As a result of wholesale hazing 45 members of the sophomore class of Lafayette college have been suspended indefinitely by the faculty.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

TAUNTON, April 18—Mrs. Henry J. Hobert was burned to death today. She was working in her kitchen when flames from a stove ignited her apron.

NO SUN ON MONDAY

In honor of Patriots day, which will be observed on Monday, The Sun will suspend publication of all editions.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

300 AT BASEBALL GAME

First Game of the Season Today —Lowell and St. Anselm's College Teams Clash

Plenty of sun, good dry ground, open cars; in fact all things that go to make up an auspicious baseball opening day were on hand this afternoon when the time arrived to journey to Spalding park fo rthe first time this season.

Of course there was no mad rush for the cars; that could not be expected, for many fans refuse to go out to a game before Patriots' day, while others looked upon today's little battle with St. Anselm's college as a sort of practice stunt and not of sufficient importance to call forth a silver quarter from the inner recesses of one's jeans.

Still there were some 300 on deck when Umpire Bobby Keeler started the game and those who went were not in complaining mood.

Prior to the opening of the game both teams indulged in the usual practice and the Lowell team worked well together considering the fact that they are practically all strangers to each other.

It seemed strange not to see a Foye in the line-up of the college nine for Walter, Raymond and Arthur Foye of this city, were all old St. Anslem's players. Walter will be here on Monday with the New London team. Arthur is with the Fort William team while Raymond is coaching a prep. school team way down in Maine. It was while "Phenom" John Smith was coaching the St. Anslem's team that Jimmy Gray secured his services as manager of the Lowell team. John didn't last long.

The line-up of the opposing teams was as follows:

Lowell—Burke, 2b and capt.; Kelley, 1b; Carr, 3b; Potteiger, cf; Wacob, c; Freyer, lf; Speraw, ss; Garvey, rf; Shenk, p.

St. Anslem's—McNamara, ss; Schmidt cf; Goodreau, rf; O'Connor, 2b and capt.; Barry, 1b; Wallace, p; Flynn, lf; Proulx, 3b; Walsh, c.

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Sunday, April 19, 1914
Table d'Hote Dinner
$1.00
Oysters on Deep Shell
Radishes Queen Olives Celery Hearts
Chicken Soup a la Perigard
Soup De-Onions au Gratin
Soup Sticks
Gridiron Chicken Halibut Steak
Shredded Lettuce, Roquefort Dressing
Madeira Punch
(Choice of Roasts)
Young Vermont Turkey
Cranberry Sauce
Leg of Spring Lamb, Mint Jelly
Milk Fed Chicken (Half) Orange Marmalade
Mashed or Boiled Potatoes
Lima Beans
Waldorf Salad, Cream Dressing
Nougatine Ice Cream, Assorted Wafers
Roquefort Cheese, Tonsted Crackers
Coffee
Tables reserved up to Sunday noon. Also a la carte menu and combination.
Music, 5.30 to 8.30
SPECIAL
Table d'Hote Dinner with Music
Monday, April 20th

Div. 8, A.O.H.
Members wishing to attend the banquet Thursday, April 23rd, will procure the tickets not later than Monday evening, April 20th. The committee in charge will hold a meeting at the hall on Monday evening. By order of
D. F. REILLY, Pres.
THOMAS DORSEY, Fin Sec.

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Monday Evening, April 20
Admission 25c. Sheehan's Orchestra

INTEREST BEGINS SATURDAY, MAY 2
—AT—
THE CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK
58 Central St.

NO AMALGAMATION SAYS CHAS. S. BIRD

Blames Republican Party for Demoralized and Desperate Condition of Business—Merging of Parties Impossible, He Says at Indiana Convention

INDIANAPOLIS, April 18.—Amalgamation of the progressive and republican parties is impossible, declared Charles Sumner Bird, former progressive candidate for governor of Massachusetts, in an address at the Indiana state convention here today. "Is it possible," he asked, "that the leaders

CHARLES SUMNER BIRD

of the progressive party would work in harmony with the men in control of the republican party? Stand them up and judge for yourself. In one row are Barnes, Penrose, Smoot, Guggenheim and their kind. In the other are Roosevelt, Johnson, Stubbs, Lindsay, Beveridge and the men of their type. It is as impossible to bring these men together upon one platform as it would be to induce the rank and file of the progressive party to follow the leadership of men who would compromise with the bosses of the old parties in order to win the spoils of office.

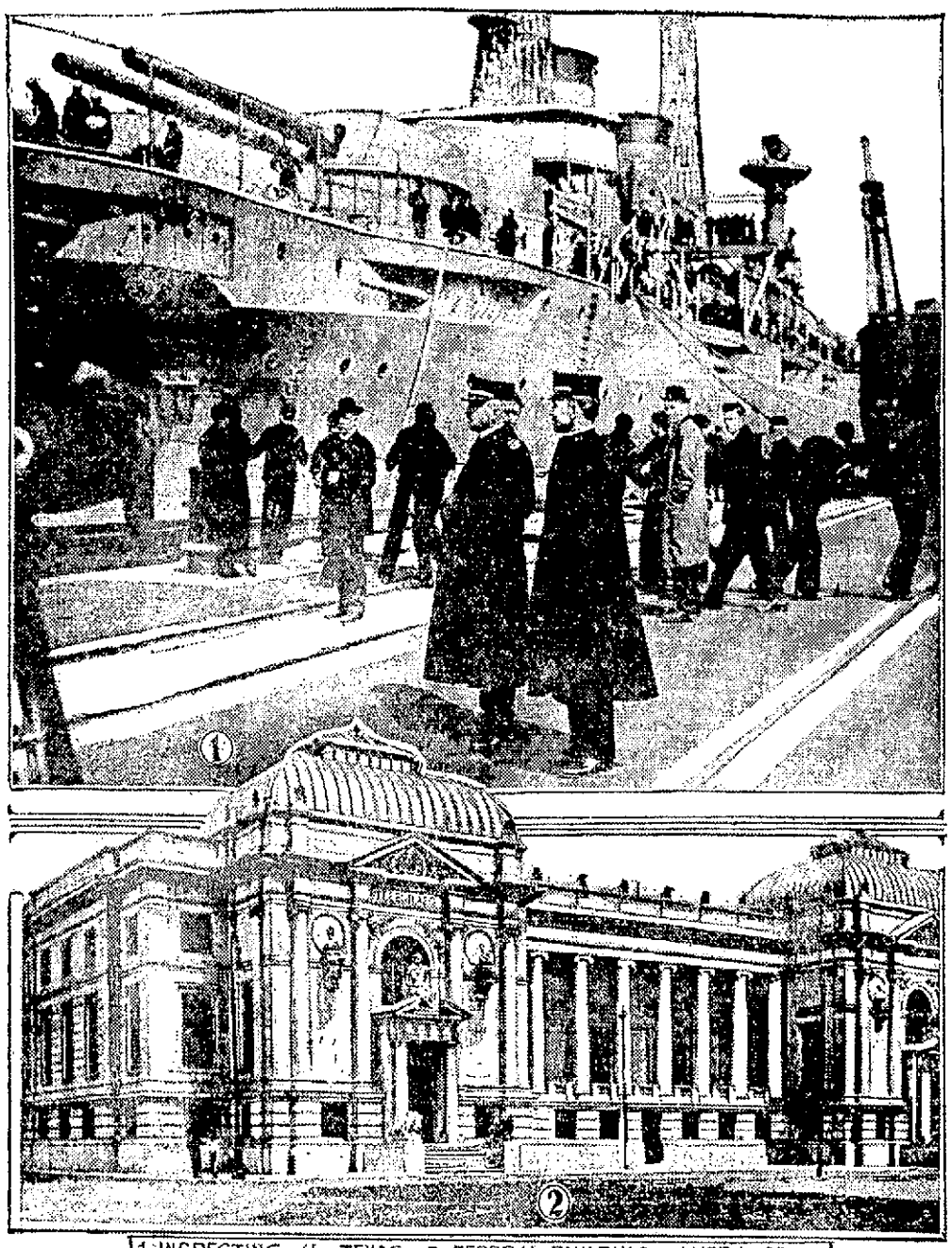
Content to Wait for Victory

"No, we progressives have blazed our own trail and that is the one we will follow. Disintegration of the progressive party! Nonsense. Those who talk it are the ones who fear the republican party will go first. Today we are a party of more than 4000 strong—a party of advance—much alive and working together with practical unanimity. We do not expect immediate results and are content to await until victory is attained on a solid and lasting basis.

Mr. Bird placed on the republican party the responsibility for what he termed the demoralized and desperate condition of business of the country, asserting that during the Taft administration the republican leaders "had broken their solemn pre-election pledges" and that if they "had not stolen the presidential nomination in the Chicago convention of 1912 then a democratic administration would not have been elected."

"Neither can the democratic party," he continued, "escape the responsibility for the deplorable business situation which, notwithstanding their protestations, has steadily grown worse since the election of Mr. Wilson. Their ceaseless, unremitting attack on business, the unscientific tinkering with the tariff, the failure to appoint a tariff commission to remove what is beyond the reach of professional politicians, the un-American drifting Mexican policy which means war or dishonorable peace, which is worse than war; the looting of our diplomatic service whereby political creditors have superceded trained and faithful—all these cause distrust, suspicion, uncertainty. Business hesitates and halts, and the American people are waiting and watching for a rift in the cloud which hangs over the industrial activities of the country."

CAPTAIN CLEAVES INSPECTING U. S. S. TEXAS, AND FEDERAL BUILDING IN VERA CRUZ



1. INSPECTING the TEXAS ··· 2. FEDERAL BUILDING at VERA CRUZ

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VERA CRUZ, April 18.—American and foreign refugees from Mexico City are arriving here by the score owing to the disorder in the capital caused by the announcement of the sailing of the additional American warships into Mexican waters. The illustration shows the federal building at Vera Cruz, where all dispatches received for or sent by American citizens are censored by Huerta's officers.

BROOKLYN, April 18.—The great dreadnought Texas is being rushed into commission at the navy yard under orders from Washington. The illustration shows the Texas under inspection by Captain Albert Cleaves (in overcoat), commandant of the navy yard, and Lieut. Newton (at right, in cape).

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

With a large attendance of members, the regular meeting of Wamesit lodge, No. 25, Knights of Pythias, was held last evening in Pythian hall on Merrimack street. Considerable routine business was transacted after which the doors were opened to guests and a whist tournament was played. The winners were as follows:

Ladies: First prize, Mrs. Lena Becker; second prize, Mrs. Cora Brown; third prize, Mrs. Clara Smith. Gentlemen's: First prize Thos. Carty; second prize, Geo. DeRoehn; third prizee, William Daly.

I. O. O. F.

A short business session of Merrimack Valley lodge, I. O. O. F., was held last evening and was followed by the presentation of the following program:

Songs, Thomas Chinn, Walter McGrath, K. Whittaker, Andrew Holroyd, Frank A. Mills, Mr. Booth, John Myers, Mr. Clark and John E. Barnes; violin solo and piano selections, Mr. Galloway, Mr. Holroyd, Mr. Clark and Mr. Mills; recitations, P. G. Peter Caddell, Mr. Murphy, Walter McGrath and Ed. Dunkerly; remarks Brother Farrell. The piano accompanist of the evening was F. A. Mills.

Sons of Veterans

Amid great applause by the members the beautiful parade flag recently won by Admiral Farragut camp, Sons of Veterans, was unfurled for the first time at a meeting of the camp held last evening in G. A. R. hall on Merrimack street. The local organization now claims to be the largest and leading camp in the state but in spite of this it is hoped that 20 new members will be secured before Memorial day. Reports were made at the meeting and it was announced that Corp. Foster is drilling the gun squad regularly.

Edith P. Wolcott Auxiliary

The following members of the Edith P. Walcott auxiliary will attend the state convention, Spanish War Veterans, and auxiliaries to be opened in Haverhill today: Mrs. Alice E. Goodwin, president and department conductor; Mrs. Blanche M. Jelly, treasurer and junior vice president; Mrs. Isabel M. Ellis, Mrs. Jennie Everett, Mrs. Loucraft, Mrs Chandler, Miss Ella Sloan, Mrs. Jennie W. Joyce. The auxiliary is making arrangements for a dancing party, to be held in the near future.

Centralville Lodge Fair

An advertisement on the amusement page calls attention to the annual fair and entertainment of Centralville lodge, which is to take place in its hall the last four days of next week. The committee in charge has arranged for first-class entertaining features each evening. A luncheon will be served at 5.30 o'clock each evening and every one who attends the fair is promised a pleasant time.

Manchester Unity, I. O. O. F.

The regular meeting of the Merrimack Valley lodge of Odd Fellows, M. U., was held in Grafton hall last night with Noble Grand Joseph Pearson in the chair. After the usual routine the meeting was open for members and their friends and the hall was quickly filled by the largest attendance ever seen at the lodge. An exceptionally fine entertainment was presented which the audience enjoyed to the limit. To say that the lodge is booming is but stating the literal fact. With its rapid growth it will soon become the leading lodge of the order in the district, a position which the officers have determined to attain.

The program for the evening was as follows: Songs by F. Booth, John Myers, Walter McGrath, Thomas Chinn, K. Whittaker, J. E. Barnes, F. A. Mills, Mr. Joseph Clark; vocal duets by William Ellis and Mr. Garner and Walter McGrath and Ed. Dunkerly; readings by P. G. Peter Caddell and Mr. Murphy. Remarks on athletics by Brother Farrell; violin and piano selections, Mr. Galloway and A. Holroyd, Mr. Joe Clark and F. A Mills. Refreshments were served.

C. W. WHIDDEN RESIGNS

AS PRESIDENT OF CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK FROM ILL HEALTH —H. W. BARNES FILLS VACANCY

On the advice of his physicians on account of protracted ill health, Clarence W. Whidden, for more than 30 years connected with the Central Savings bank, has resigned from that office much to the regret of the directors, and Henry W. Barnes, long time clerk in the bank and well known as a business man, has been chosen to succeed Mr. Whidden.

Mr. Horace S. Bacon has been chosen as clerk for the remainder of the year in place of Mr. Barnes.

The resignation of Mr Whidden was accepted with reluctance but after consulting his physician, Mr. Whidden was permitted to accept the less onerous office of vice-president, to which he was chosen.

Mr. Whidden's letter of resignation was as follows:

Lowell, Mass., April 18, 1914.
The Board of Trustees of The Central Savings Bank.

Gentlemen: I have been advised by my physicians that my health is such that I ought not to continue to attend to the exacting duties of president of the bank. I, therefore, tender my resignation as president and also as a member of the board of investment. I am very grateful to the trustees for the consideration they have shown me especially in granting me a vacation for the past few months.

Yours truly,
Clarence W. Whidden.

The esteem and sympathy of the trustees of the bank were expressed in the following resolution:

CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK.

The board of trustees regret to learn that the condition of health of Clarence W. Whidden prevents him from continuing as the executive head of the bank, and desire to place upon record their appreciation of his service, in the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the trustees of The Central Savings bank, in accepting the resignation of Clarence W. Whidden as president, do so with regret and hereby place upon the records of the bank their appreciation of his unfailing industry, his constant loyalty, and also the uniform courtesy, which for more than 30 year have characterized all his dealings with the other officers of the bank and with everyone who, through him, has had business relations with the bank.

CONVICT DIES IN PRISON

TONY MARONO WAS SERVING SENTENCE OF 10 YEARS FOR ASSAULTING DEPUTY MARSHAL

CONCORD, N. H., April 18.—Tony Marono, serving a sentence of ten years in the state prison for assaulting Deputy City Marshal Victor Moore of this city with intent to kill on Oct. 5, 1912, died at the prison today from the effects of wounds self-inflicted on April

ST. PETER'S HOLY NAME

QUARTERLY COMMUNION WILL TAKE PLACE TOMORROW AT 7.30 MASS

The regular quarterly communion of St. Peter's Holy Name society will take place tomorrow and it is confidently expected that the attendance will be very large. The fact that the communion day comes within the prescribed time for the Easter duty, will undoubtedly contribute to the attendance, though St. Peter's society has always turned out in great numbers at these quarterly events. The members will attend the 7.30 o'clock mass, and a special musical program will be given by the Holy Name choir. After mass the members will have breakfast in Loncoin hall, a corps of ladies under the direction of Mrs. Katherine McQuade, assisting on the tables. Following the breakfast an entertainment program will be carried out, with Dr. Michael A. Tighe as the speaker of the day. The master of ceremonies at the breakfast will be the new president, and one of the society's best hustlers, Bernard D. Ward.

Visiting in Lowell

Rev. John Henry C. S. S. R., of Chicago, Ill., a former missionary and noted scholar of the Redemptorist order, was the guest of his sister, Sister Caroline, at St. John's hospital, yesterday, the occasion being their first meeting in many years. Fr. Henry has been ordained 42 years and during his career has preached missions in 30 states of the Union, and in Canada. For several years he has been in charge of a large parish in Chicago and has devoted much of his time during his later years to literary work. Fr. Henry left this afternoon for New York, where he will visit his brother, also a member of the Redemptorist order, before returning to Chicago.

LOCAL NEWS

The many friends of Undertaker Joseph Albert will be pleased to learn he is about again after being confined to his bed with a severe illness for the past two weeks.

Monday morning, April 19, at 8 o'clock there will be an anniversary high mass of requiem at St. Peter's church for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Margaret McMahon.

The members of the A G. Cadets and the Angel Guardian sodality of St. Joseph's parish are organizing a whist and social which will be given for the benefit of St. Jean Baptiste church on May 13. Rev. Joseph Denis, O. M. I., is spiritual director of both organizations and he is helping the boys to make the event a success.

A largely attended benefit concert and dance was given at Prescott hall last night with Devno's orchestra furnishing music. The musical program included members by the following: Mrs. Clara Johnson, piano selections; Fred Booth, songs; Miss Mathilda Schonborn, readings; Miss Esther Muigrave, "Maid of the Mist" dance, Miss Irene Buchanan, songs; Miss Katherine Hey, piano selections; Miss Sadie Riley, songs; Hendy Leavitt, readings; K. Whitaker, songs.

WINTHROP'S NEW CURFEW

NEARLY CAUSED A PANIC IN THEATRE AT BEACH—FIREMEN LEFT UPON HEARING BELL

WINTHROP, April 18.—An unwarranted cry of "Fire" in the Dream theatre at Winthrop beach about 9 Thursday evening created a consternation that nearly developed into a serious panic. It was caused by the new curfew town ordinance.

The curfew, which is rung each evening at 9, to warn all children under 16 off the streets, consists of two strokes on the fire alarm bell at the fire engine house opposite the Dream theatre. In order that there shall be no misunderstanding of the curfew there is no box 2 on the fire alarm list.

The firemen have had it impressed on them repeatedly, it is said, that two bells signifies only the curfew, yet last evening when it struck, two firemen in the audience at the Dream theatre jumped from their seats and ran to the exit.

Some excitable person in the rear, seeing the firemen hurrying out, shouted "Fire," and in an instant the entire audience was on its feet and trying to get to the doors.

The house was dark and a moving picture was being displayed at the time of the outbreak, but as quick as possible the lights were turned on and Special Officer John McCarthy, who is always on duty in the theatre, shouted repeatedly to the audience to return to their seats, as there was no fire and no danger of any kind.

In the meantime the auditors were engaged in a desperate struggle, for a short time, to get to the doors and many were seriously crushed and mauled about, though none was severely hurt.

The worst of the scare was stopped early, however, and after about five minutes the attaches of the house got the frightened auditors back into their seats and the performance was resumed.

EMERALD ASSOCIATES DANCED

The Emerald Associates conducted their annual social and dance at Hibernian hall last night. The affair was largely attended and all present spent a most enjoyable evening. Wall's orchestra furnished music and a dance order of 20 numbers was carried out.

The officers of the evening were: General manager, Richard Murtagh; assistant general manager, James J. Droney; floor director, Michael Rynne; assistant floor director, James G. Clancy; chief aid, William Twohey; aids, Patrick Heslin, Frank Loughran, James O'Gara, Patrick McCann, Lieut. Michael Monaghan, Patrick Brosnan, Bernard Scanlon, Michael Droney, Frank McNulty, Hugh McGowan, Thomas Brosnan, Michael Dolan; reception committee, Capt. Patrick Fitzgerald, chairman; Lieut. Francis J. Kierce, John Power, Thomas McInveny, Michael O'Loughlin, James Cryan, Lawrence Cavanaugh, William McVey, John McInerney, Thos. Wall, John A. Cotter, Andrew F. Roach, Thomas Linehan, James J. Kennedy; treasurer, Michael Hynes; secretary, Patrick Rynne.

BILLERICA

The T. R. & T. Baseball club of North Billerica held its annual dancing party in Talbot Memorial hall last evening and the affair was one of the most successful held in that hall during the present season. An order of 20 numbers was danced through to excellent music furnished by Broderick's orchestra and shortly before 12 o'clock all left the hall highly praising the committee which had charge of the arrangements.

Moderator Charles H. Eames last night announced the following committee appointments: Committee to investigate the town farm, Arthur S. Cook, Albert H. Richardson, Frank A. FitzGerald; committee on building laws, Warren H. Manning, Nathaniel R. Jones, Francis A. D. Singhi, William H. Sexton, Ivory M. Hanson; committee to look up site and plans for new town farm, Warren Holden, Frank L. Day, Thomas F. Sheridan; committee to report on matter of purchasing fire combination auto truck, Frederic C. Farquhar, Josiah C. Evans, George P. Greenwood; committee in regard to trolley line extension, Charles H. Williams, Thomas T. Clark, Sidney A. Bull, Richard T. Perry and Charles H. Eames.

JOHN M. FARRELL - - - - Auctioneer
OFFICE, 162 MARKET ST., LOWELL, MASS.

Household Furniture Auction Sale

Thursday, April 23, 1914, at 2 O'Clock P. M., at No. 775 Broadway, Lowell, Mass.

I shall sell at public auction the household furnishings of a 6-room flat, consisting in part of mahogany parlor suite, parlor table, extra chairs and rockers, new Shallenger upright piano that cost $300, music cabinet, lace curtains, portieres, pictures, carpets, rugs (all sizes), sitting room furniture, couch, morris chairs, rockers, mirrors, writing desks, sitting room stove, fancy lamps, dining room table and six chairs, sideboard, china closet, lot of dishes, bric-a-brac, silverware, glassware, etc. Drop-head Singer sewing machine, as good as new, Crawford kitchen range with water front (a good one), ice chest, kitchenware, gas stove, two iron beds, springs, and all the bedding, two oak dressers, commodes chiffoniers, chairs and rockers, toilet sets, bench wringer, and many articles too numerous to mention.

You will find this a good lot of furniture, practically all of it being new, and it will be to your advantage to attend this sale if you are looking for a few extra pieces of furniture, as there is no limit on the goods.

TERMS CASH Per order, M. ROCK.

Farm Personal Property, Auction Sale

Tuesday, April 21, 1914, at 1 o'clock P. M., at the late P. G. Collins' Farm, on the Boston Road, Parker Village, Westford, Mass.

To clean up the estate, I will sell at public auction the following personal property: One nearly new Concord wagon, one two-seated canopy top carryall, used but little, one riding sleigh, one-horse farm wagon, wood sleds, manure spreader, mowing machine horse hay rake, hay tedder large field roller, cultivators, harrows, plows, lot of small tools, grindstone, lot of good English hay, lot of good cow manure, and many small tools, harnesses, etc.

There will be some household furniture sold also. One old bureau.

JOHN M. FARRELL, in charge.

WALTER E. GUYETTE, Auctioneer
Office, 53 Central Street, Lowell Mass. Tel. 2415

POSITIVE SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF A TWO STORY TWO TENEMENT HOUSE, BARN AND ABOUT 5000 SQUARE FEET OF LAND, AT NO. 78 17TH STREET, CENTRALVILLE.

ON SATURDAY, APRIL 25, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.

I have instructed the auctioneer to offer at absolute auction sale, this two story, two tenement house and barn, situated about seven minutes' walk from the end of the Christian Hill line of electrics, also about the same distance of the Bridge street and Dracut Centre line. The house contains 12 rooms, six rooms and bath to each tenement, the barn has large stalls and carriage room, the lot has a total area of about 5000 square feet, thus allowing considerable space for garden purposes. The buildings are in very good repair. The tenements are rented and yield an income of $20 per month or $240 per year.

Here is a good chance for anyone to buy a home in a first class neighborhood where he can live in one tenement and rent the other and the rent received will pay the running expenses of both, again he can keep a few hens, or if he so desires he has accommodations for a cow as the barn is ample, also arrangements can undoubtedly be made in the immediate vicinity for pasture purposes.

Terms: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off.

HENRY N. PEABODY.

IN POLICE COURT

Man Fined $20. for Assault — Several Old Timers in Court

The final testimony, in the case where the complainant was turned defendant before the trial was completed last Thursday, was heard this morning in police court before Judge Enright, Frank Destefano, who at the last hearing was the complainant, today pleaded not guilty to assault and battery upon Mike Brown.

Brown testified that the defendant was standing in a doorway of a store where he, Brown, was in charge on last Saturday night. The store is situated on Charles street. Witness said that defendant with several others were blocking up the passageway into the store and that he tried to persuade them to move out of the doorway.

Defendant was partially under the influence of liquor, said the witness, and when he attempted to put him away from the door he drew a razor and slashed the latter's overcoat in several places. The coat was exhibited in court.

The defendant denied making any attack upon Brown. He admitted, however, when cross-examined by Lawyer Donahue, counsel for the prosecution, that he had made threats to use a knife and that he put his hand to his pocket in a suggestive manner.

The defendant also admitted that he had been drinking on the evening in question. Asked why he didn't go over toward the section of his own nationality, he said that he had business up Charles street way. Judge Enright found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of $20.

Dennis J. Mahoney was arrested yesterday on a caplas for not conforming with the terms of his probation. Dennis put up a great plea to Judge Enright this morning.

"Carmichael is going to give me a job sure," he assured the court, "and then I'll be all straightened out." The judge gave him one more opportunity to make good and continued the case for a week with no finding.

Mary A. Bradley and her husband, Alfred, were left in charge of a house by the owners a short time ago. Prosperity, however, got the better of the pair and yesterday they went off on a regular time. Both of them pleaded guilty to drunkenness in court today. The woman was given a suspended sentence of four months to the Eveleth establishment and the man was released.

John A. Smith made his third appearance for drunkenness within the year. He was allowed to depart after registering a solemn promise to send Probation Officer Slattery $15 within the next six weeks. Alphonse Geguire, a brother of the young man who left home with Belleville, the Lowell man killed in the west recently while attempting a burglary, pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was released.

Y.M.C.A. BANQUET

Large Attendance at Annual Affair Last Night

With an exceedingly large number of members and guests present, the annual banquet of the members of the Young Men's Christian Association was held last evening in the gymnasium, and it is needless to say that the affair was one of the most enjoyable sociable affairs on the Y. M. C. A. calendar. The well arranged program went off without a slip-up, and consisted of dinner, speechmaking, awarding of prizes, as well as the reports of the different departments of the association.

C. B. Redway acted as toastmaster and after the banquet called upon F. L. Willis, general secretary of the Worcester Y. M. C. A., as the principal speaker of the evening. Mr. Willis took for his subject, "Team Work, the Secret of Success," and it was a very interesting one as he outlined the accomplishments of the Y. M. C. A. in this state during the past few years and stated that it all was due to team work. He showed how much the association is doing for the young man of today in helping to educate him and encourage him in his industrial training and other work. The speaker was especially pleased with the quarters of the local association and complimented the members for their fine showing.

The bowling league prizes were presented under the direction of C. B. Redway. The Iroquois team made the best record of the season, and suitable awards were made to the members. The individual winners were: Alvin Tetley, high three string total, 311; Bryant Kirby, high average, 92.7; high single, Charles Dulligan, 134.

Reports of the different departments were made as follows: Religious work, Otis Butler; life in the dormitory, Arthur Standfast; boys' department activities, Arthur Dows; summary of bowling league, F. W. Kittredge; physical department, Albert J. Wicke.

C. F. KEYES, Auctioneer
OFFICE, OLD B. & M. DEPOT, STOREHOUSE & COMMISSION ROOMS. GREEN STREET. TELEPHONE 1485.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF THE GAUTHIER ESTATE, CONSISTING OF A FOUR-TENEMENT BLOCK, TWO COTTAGES AND ABOUT 5600 SQUARE FEET OF LAND IN ONE PARCEL, SITUATED AT THE CORNER OF ENNELL AND CAROLYN STREET.

SATURDAY, APRIL 25th, AT 3 O'CLOCK

By virtue of a license granted to me by the probate court I shall offer for absolute sale the above property on the premises, on the day and hour advertised, regardless of any condition of the weather.

The Four Tenement House at 33-35 Ennell and 5-7 Carolyn streets, has separate front doors for each tenant, there are three tenements of five rooms each and one of four rooms, toilets on the first floor and gas throughout. The building being located on the corner makes the rooms airy, well lighted and always well rented.

The Cottage at 29 Ennell street consists of five rooms, pantry, back shed and toilet, gas and good yard room. This makes a very cosy little home.

The Cottage at 9 Carolyn street has five rooms and toilet and is very conscientiously laid out.

Now then, the above properties rent for $13 per week or a yearly rental of $676 and they are occupied by good tenants. The fact that it is a corner lot is certainly a great advantage to this property. It is just across the street from the new West Sixth street fire house and convenient to schools, churches and but a short distance across the Aiken street bridge to the mills. Here is a first class investment especially for someone who could occupy one tenement and have the income of the other five. Look this property up as the sale will be absolute to make a settlement of the estate.

Terms: $300 to be paid the auctioneer as soon as struck off. Other terms at time of sale.

ALFRED J. GAUTHIER,
Executor of will of Sinai Gauthier.

LOWELL BOY AT VERA CRUZ

George J. McCarthy Writes of Conditions in Mexico

Says U. S. Sailors are Ready and Anxious to Proceed, if Ordered

GEORGE J. McCARTHY
Photo Taken on Board Battleship Utah at Vera Cruz

Apropos of the near war in Mexico, comes a letter to this city from George J. McCarthy, a Lowell boy, who is a member of the crew of the United States battleship Utah, which is stationed at Vera Cruz. The letter was sent to a cousin here and gives an account of the hostilities in the revolutionary country. It explains how the United States sailors and marines are interested in the movements of the rebels and federals and how anxious some are for a chance to show how well trained the representatives of the Stars and Stripes are for active duty.

The sanguinary fighting, the terrible tortures to innocent women and children, the devastation of valuable properties and many other inhuman acts, have so excited the Americans, that an order to advance would be a welcome command, says the Lowell sailor boy.

Young McCarthy is the son of Mrs. Minnie McCarthy of Tyler street, and he is 20 years old. He enlisted four years ago. He was first sent to a training station remaining the usual one year after which he was transferred to a "real ship." His present term expires in July, but he states that he will reenlist, inasmuch as he desires to take the trip throug the Panama canal.

Owing to the fact that the letter contains considerable personal matter, only parts are published. In opening the young sailor tells how well he is getting along, especially with his work. He is studying wireless telegraphy and is making rapid progress in the art. He hopes that at the expiration of his second term he will be a proficient operator.

When the letter was written the rebels, under Villa and Carranza were having it practically all their own way and the indiention were that the federals would be routed out of Torreon. This has been accomplished since.

While the Lowell boy was not on shore at Mexico, his ship, he states, was so near the coast that all on board could hear the roar of the cannon and could see the smoke from the burning buildings vanish in the clouds. "We then realized," the writer states, "that many lives were being crushed out, and that the victors were gathering bodies to be thrown into a ditch or piling them up to be burned like rubbish."

"These are some of the things that were going on only a few miles from us, and it was all that we could do to endure the thoughts of such terrible tortures."

"Many nights we do not sleep a wink, but sit up and listen to the thundering of the cannon and watch the smoke and sometimes the flames leaping from the buildings and lighting up the skies. Such sights and reports send a thrill through us, and many would appreciate an order to land.

"We are well supplied," the letter continues, "and while we do not get the food that is served to us when we are up north or even on a cruise, we are getting enough to eat and are satisfied to remain here, knowing that, if not ordered to the front, we will return and then get the best of everything.

"We have a very congenial crowd on board and when off duty some great events are pulled off. There are the usual champion pugilists, runners, wrestlers, etc. and they provide us with fine entertainments. We also have a band, which furnishes music for our dances.

"Of course, boys dance with boys, but the ones who play the "ladies" interpret their parts in great style. We do the tango, Boston dip and the other new ones and have a few of "our own make," that are never seen in a dance hall.

One paragraph states: "Well, I see Sec. Daniels has issued an order that no liquor will be allowed on board. This will make the officers sit up and take notice. They are the only ones who have it, as the "Jackies" never get more than the odor. Some are of the opinion that liquor is served to all the men, but this is not so. The officers, however, do enjoy it at mess, but few to excess. They will miss it though, owing to the fact that they have always had the privilege of using the "fire water."

In another part that the reporter was allowed to copy, the letter reads: "We are planning a great celebration if we get back to port and are saving up for the event. The present indications are that we will have over one thousand dollars for the affair, and if it materializes, I will invite some of my Lowell friends to attend.

If Coffee Don't Agree

Much of today's nervousness, indigestion, languor, kidney and liver trouble, come from indiscretions in eating and drinking, so commonplace that they are seldom considered till Nature pulls one up with a sharp jerk.

More often than is suspected, coffee is the cause of these troubles.

A simple, easy way to discover the real cause and relieve one's self of a lot of discomfort is to quit coffee for ten days and try

POSTUM

This beverage contains none of the coffee drugs (caffeine, tannin, etc.) which are responsible for many human ailments, big and little. Postum is a food-drink made from prime wheat and a bit of molasses. It is pure and contains only the wholesome goodness of the grain.

Postum comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble form. A teaspoonful stirred in a cup of hot water dissolves quickly and makes a most delightful beverage, with cream and sugar added to taste. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

Thousands who have changed from coffee to Postum know

"There's a Reason"

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TAKE DYS-PEP-LETS ALONG WITH YOU

It is always a wise thing to carry a box of Dys-pep-lets with you wherever you go. You can get a good-sized box for a quarter from your druggist. To be without such a remedy when the stomach has become sour, or something has been eaten that the stomach cannot digest without help, is to be in an uncomfortable situation, to say the least, and it may become serious.

Dys-pep-lets are pleasant to take, prompt in effect and economical.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending April 18, 1914

LOWELL

John W. Broadbent to George Ashworth, land on Gorham street.

Clarence H. Nelson to William H. Wood et ux., land and buildings on Fort Hill avenue.

Raoul Dionne et ux., to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Boisvert street.

Albert S. Read by mtgee., to Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, land and buildings on Riverside street.

Louis Cayer to Euclide Cinq-Mars, land on Endicott street.

Daniel M. Richardson est., by exor., to Anne R. Talbot, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Anne R. Talbot to Edwin A. Simpson, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Mary A. Richardson, by gdn., to Edwin A. Simpson, land and buildings on Mansur, Fairmount, Wyman and Nesmith streets.

Sarah J. Killpartrick to Ezra A. Jones land and buildings cor. Rose ave. and West Forrest and Stevens streets.

Arthur Genest to Arthur O. Montmarquet, et al., land and buildings on Forrest street.

Belvidere Woolen Mfg. Co., Lowell, to S. Parker Bremer, land and buildings cor. Fayette and Chestnut streets.

Ezrel Greenberg to Ike Zelin et ux., land and buildings on Dutton street and passageway.

Cora M. Clough et al., to Henry P. Clough, land and buildings cor. West Tenth and Bridge streets.

Delphine Lapanne by mtgee., to Damas Pelletier, land on Acton street.

Mary Louise Swan Baron to Belizer Roux, land on Methuen street.

Belvidere Woolen Mfg. Co., Lowell, to V. Brooks Stevens, land and buildings on Brown, Howe and Chestnut streets.

Wamesit Power Company to City of Lowell, land on Lawrence street.

Jacob Rogers to City of Lowell, land cor. Wyman and Clitheroe streets.

Sophie Carrier to Louis Cayer, land and buildings cor. White and Dracut streets.

Walter H. McKinnon et ux., to Fred M. Barney, land on School street.

Edward Callahan et al., to Elizabeth Eldridge, land and buildings on Fulton street.

F. J. Van Greenberg to Fanny Finberg, land and buildings on Howard street.

Anthony D. Mitten to John Jarek et al., land on Plain, Houghton and Parker streets.

Arthur M. Robbins et al., to Edward J. Robbins et al., land on Sutherland street.

Orange H. Stafford est., by extx. and tr., et al., to Edward J. Robbins et al., land on Sutherland street.

Oliver H. Coburn commr., to Emma F. Hill, land cor. Humphrey and Willard streets.

BILLERICA

Aaron Adelman to Albertina Ericson, land on Burlington road.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Isidore P. Dube, land on Woodland road.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Jean Baptiste Bissonnette, land on River View avenue.

Carrie C. Corkum to Francis V. Balch's trs., land.

Mary Catherine Harrington est., by exor., et al., to Charles Bruce, land on Pollard street and River View ave.

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Charles S. Dodge to Mary Hollington, land on Railroad street, Dane ave. and Fordway road.

Annie E. Jendricks to Mary D. Doyle, land and buildings on Beacon street.

Arthur A. Jendricks et ux., to Mary D. Doyle, land on Beacon street.

Michael H. McElligott et al., to Cora W. Chute, land on Fairview street.

Barnet M. Hein to Florence M. Ray, land on Pinegrove avenue.

Aaron Adelman to Helen McGibbney, land on Washington avenue.

James E. Burke tr. to Abbie J. McGowan, land at Central Park.

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CARLISLE

Sarah E. Edwards to Alice M. Connolly, land and buildings on road to Billerica.

CHELMSFORD

Wladystow Zabterek to John Jarek, land.

DRACUT

Lucelia A. Willoughby to Clarence C. Hunting, land near Lakeview ave.

Erastus A. Bartlett et ux., to Walarina Noraukevesz, land.

John J. Callery to Erwin W. Scofield et al., land.

John J. Callery to Belle F. Batchelder, land and buildings on Nashua road.

Phoebe Ames to William Tyrell, land cor. Upland and Pleasant streets.

James Stewart Murphy to Frederick E. Brown, land on Jacob street.

Oliver H. Coburn, commr., to Emma F. Hill, land on Bridge street.

TYNGSBORO

Edgar C. Linn et ux., to John J. Hart, land on Willowdale ave.

TEWKSBURY

Grace V. Nickerson to Gladyce G. McVean, land on Elm street and Glenwood road.

Grace V. Nickerson to Mary Donovan, land cor. Maplewood ave. and Elm street.

James Martin to Bridget Wilson, land at Fairlawn.

Estella H. Richardson to Mary E. Richardson, land on Chandler street.

WESTFORD

George O. Jackson to Alice L. Prescott, land and buildings on Pine street.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton to Merrimac Chemical Co., Woburn, land.

Thomas B. Coolidge et al., to Merrimack Chemical Co., Woburn, land on New Boston street.

Leonardo Candela to Vincent Gingla, land on Ashmont and Marion streets.

Richmond F. Hudson to New England Live Stock company, Peabody, land on Main road from Woburn to Wilmington.

George E. Kane to Margaret Paterson, land at Oakland Park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Frank H. Bell, land on Laurel avenue.

Leslie W. Walker et al., to George Winn, et al., land.

GOV. WALSH AT DEDICATION

ADAMS, April 18.—Gov. Walsh and his staff took part in the dedication of the armory of Company M, Second regiment, last night. The governor formally handed the keys of the building to Capt. J. Tracy Potter of the company after addresses by William B. Plunkett and others.

FINISHING TOUCHES ON RESOLUTE

BRISTOL, R. I., April 18.—The work of rubbing down the bronze hull of the cup defence candidate Resolute with electric buffers, was finished yesterday and the finishing touches will now be given by the crew. Tests which would have just been completed are said to have shown that the rigging of the sloop could stand a strain of 71,000 pounds to the square inch.

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At All Druggists, 10c., 25c.

Directions of Special Importance to Women with Every Box.

THE GREEK GOOD FRIDAY

Celebrated by Local Colony With Impressive Services—Imposing Procession

According to the Orthodox calendar yesterday was Good Friday and the members of the local Greek colony observed the feast in a very imposing manner last evening, the celebration consisting of a church service and a procession of the Epitaphius, or the bas-relief representation of the body of Christ. The procession was headed by the Sixth Regiment band and in the line of march were about 3000 men, women and children, all carrying lighted tapers. The veterans of the two recent wars served as escorts to the body of Christ while in the rear came the pastor, Rev. Hariton Panogopoulos and the church choir.

The service was held at the Greek Orthodox church in Jefferson street and started at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, when the faithful gathered in the church and for two hours the elaborate ritual was chanted, first by the choir and then by the priest. Shortly before 10 o'clock the procession was started. The Epitaphius was constructed of wood and handsomely decorated with flowers and lighted tapers. It was carried by four men, who alternated with four others after a certain portion of the route had been covered. The bells of the church tolled and the large congregation crossed themseves.

The line formed in Lewis street and the route covered was Jefferson, Market, Adams, Cross, Jefferson and back to the church.

Four times there was a halt during the procession and each time the Kyrie Eleison was chanted by the antiphonal choirs, and occasionally came the soft, deep voice of the priest who told in sorrowful language of the crucifixion of Christ. Then the band played Chopin's Funeral March and the large congregation wended its way through the principal streets of the district. The windows of the Greek homes along the route were ornamented with burning candles and the scene was most impressive. When the congregation returned to the church the service was completed and the faithful approached the Epitaphius. They kissed the wrists and the feet of the symbolic Christ, as well as the places where the spikes had been placed that fastened Him to the cross. And then, piece by piece, the flowers were torn away and were pressed to the lips of the worshippers and taken home.

Today is Holy Saturday and services will be held this evening. The service will begin at 11 o'clock and continue till 2 o'clock tomorrow morning, which will be Easter Sunday. A mass will be celebrated at midnight by the pastor, when the resurrection will be proclaimed and the hymn, "Christ Has Risen," will be chanted by the congregation.

LOWELL PROOF

Should Convince Every Lowell Reader

The frank statement of a neighbor, telling the merits of a remedy,
Bids you pause and believe:
The same endorsement
By some stranger far away
Commands no belief at all.
Here's a Lowell case.
Lowell citizens testifies.
Read and be convinced.

Mrs. Frank E. Laidlaw, 36 Howard street, Lowell, Mass., says: "My kidneys began to trouble me some time ago. My back ached and my body bloated. My hands and feet bloated and I had dizzy spells, during which spots floated before my eyes, causing me much annoyance. I finally got a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills. I have taken about two boxes now and am rapidly approaching a cure."

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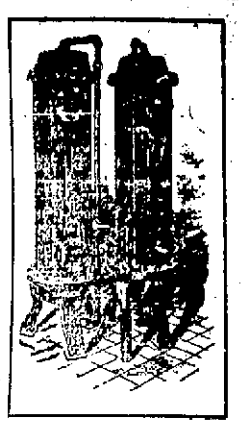

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OUT OF LIGHT AND POWER CO.

PORTLAND, Me., April 18.—It was announced at the offices of the Cumberland Light & Power Co., last night that E. T. Munger had been relieved from duty as general manager. Mr. Munger has been here since February 16. The company controls the trolley lines in Augusta, Lewiston, Portland and Biddeford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Griffin of Monadnock avenue have returned from a pleasant trip abroad in the course of which they visited Holy Land.

Mrs. Charles A. Stott, Mrs. George F. Richardson and the Misses Stott, as well as Hon. and Mrs. Frank W. Howe, have returned from a pleasant stay in the Bermudas.

At the last meeting of the Citoyens-Americains club the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months: President, E. N. Gendron; vice president, Hormisdas Arvisais; secretary-treasurer, Ferdinand Rousseau; recording secretary, Herve Thitault; directors, Treffle Bordeleau, Charles Loupret and Maxime Lepine.

A delightful smoke talk under the auspices of Garde-Sacre-Coeur of Notre Dame de Lourdes' parish was conducted in the parochial school hall last night. The attendance was large and a fine program was carried out. Several hands of whist were played and suitable prizes were awarded the winners. An elaborate musical program was rendered, those taking part being as follows: Louis Boudreau, Alfred and Samuel Renaud, Louis Renaud, M. Beausoleil, Edouard Gaudette, Leo Longtin, George Welch, M. Douville, Henri Guerin and Fred Gregoire. Interesting remarks were made by the chaplain, Rev. J. B. A. Barette, O. M. I., and refreshments were served.

HALT ON HAMMERSTEIN

INJUNCTION FORBIDS PRODUCING OPERA IN BOSTON OR NEW YORK FOR SIX YEARS

NEW YORK, April 18.—Oscar Hammerstein and his son Arthur are restrained from producing either comic or grand opera in Boston and New York until April 26, 1920, according to a decision of the appellate division of the supreme court yesterday.

The complaint against Hammerstein was filed by the Metropolitan Opera company and stated that Hammerstein agreed not to produce opera in Boston or New York for 10 years if the Metropolitan would purchase Hammerstein's Philadelphia opera house for $1,200,000.

Holiday party, Asso., Minor's, tonight.

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Also Back. Would Itch Something Awful and Crack Open, In Morning Bed Full of Scales. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

34 Dudley St., Long Branch, N. Y.—"The psoriasis began with an itching and when I would scratch it, it would burn. I had this for years. It first started with places about the size of a pin-head and then they would keep getting bigger all the time until they reached the size of a half-dollar. If I did not scratch them they would itch something awful and would crack open and bleed. If I would scratch them they would bleed and burn. The first place it would appear would be on the elbows and shins. I remember when I was a small boy it used to come out on my legs then go away and come back again. I had it on my head so badly that I was ashamed to take my hat off anywhere. I even had it coming out on my face. I had the psoriasis on my legs, arms, back and head; there were very few places that I did not have it. I would go to bed at night and in the morning when I would get up the bed would be full of scales.

"I tried several treatments but to no good. They said there was no cure for it. I picked up a paper one day and saw about Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I tried them. I would wash with Cuticura Soap in the morning and after washing I would put the Cuticura Ointment on and I would do the same thing at night before going to bed. I got relief from the start. Now I am cured." (Signed) Jack Miller, July 1, 1913.

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AMONG THE TOILERS

Jack Demaruis is still visiting Dracut street.

The Misses Condon and Carney have returned to work at the Talbot mills.

John O'Neil of the Plumbers' union has moved back to Centralville.

Patrick Sheridan of the Heinze Electric Co. is some comedian.

Miss Lillian Hubbard is the life of the knitting room at the Lawrence hosiery.

Miss Mildred Lawson of the Mohair Plush Co. is spending her spare time taking a commercial course.

Wilne Weish received his Polish neckties for the lowest score in the Y. M. C. I. league.

Harold Wilde of the T. & S. office appeared in his new spring hat Thursday morning.

Dora Ward of the Tremont & Suffolk was selling Herschey's chocolates for charity last week.

Cupid is very busy in the loading room at the U. S. Cartridge shop. Who's next, girls?

The superintendent of the Lowell Felt Co., Mr. Irving Libby, is a busy young man these days.

Miss Florence Bridgeford is now employed at Silesia mills in North Chelmsford.

Organizer Young of the Machinists union left for Providence yesterday on business.

As Monday will be a legal holiday all the mills will close and the operatives will have a chance to rest.

Mr. Daniel Owens has returned to work at the Merrimack mills after a long siege of illness.

Joseph Taft, a prominent young electrician is now employed in the Massachusetts mills store room.

Employes of the velvet room at the Merrimack mills will hold a dance some time this month.

Miss Margaret Conroy has returned to her bench in the Bigelow Carpet mills after a week's illness

Mary and Ella McQuaid of the Ipswich hosiery will spend Patriots' day in Boston.

Miss Etta McPherson, an estimable young woman employed at the Lawrence hosiery, has a prosperous Larkin Soap club in running order.

Miss Mamie Carroll, a talented young lady in the employ of the Boott mills, is taking lessons in dramatic art.

Mr. Leo Murphy of the Bigelow Carpet Co.'s designing room will spend the holidays with his sister in Clinton, Mass.

Miss E. Brissette of the Tremont & Suffolk winding room is organizing a ladies' bowling team to roll the Tar Babies.

The T. & S. bowling team deserves much credit for its excellent work and we hope that McDermott will be captain next year.

Mr. Joseph Wilkes, the prominent bowler of the Bigelow Carpet league, will spend a few days in Worcester with his brother.

Mr. William Caveney, one of the Pony club's famous athletes, greatly enjoys his new position with the Heinze Electric Co.

Alonzo Wyman has taken out an application for a chauffeur's license. He is a popular employe of the Tremont & Suffolk blanket room.

Mr. Thos. Gibbons, chief engineer at the Tremont & Suffolk mills has tendered his resignation to take effect May 1.

Martin Dacey has left the Bigelow Carpet Co. to assume his duties as "chef" at a Norumbega park dining room.

Mr. Thomas Vaughn until recently employed at the Lamson Store Service Co. has accepted a position with the Boston & Maine car shops.

The many friends of Miss Lena Shechan will be pained to learn that she was taken quite ill Thursday morning while at her work in the Lawrence hosiery.

Miss Agnes Handley, employed in the warp room at the Merrimack mills, is some hand when it comes to preparing salads. The members of the camp know.

Misses Louise Curtis, Sadie Sullivan, May O'Donnell, Gladys Anderson and Nellie O'Donnell made a jolly party in one of the local suburbs Wednesday evening.

William McQuaid, until recently employed at the Boott mills, leaves on Tuesday for Connecticut, where he has been engaged as a steam engineer in a large industry.

The Chickasaw club, a popular club of young men of the Tremont and Suffolk mills, are making preparations for their two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

Fred Boulger, an energetic employe of the Massachusetts mills, will sever his connection with that concern Saturday noon. He has been offered a more lucrative position out of town.

The American Mason Safety Tread Co of Perry St. are to be congratulated upon having such an experienced young man as Mr. Lawrence Martin in their floor laying department.

The friends of Mr. Daniel Gunchman, well known secondhand in the shipping department of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, will be pleased to hear that he is convalescing after a severe attack of grip.

The Talbot mills of North Billerica closed Friday evening and will remain closed until Tuesday. The spinning and carding departments have been running nights to make up for the time that will be lost. The company has considerable orders on hand

John Armistead, the popular runner in the Tremont & Suffolk office, has severed connection with the office and has accepted a position as an apprentice machinist in the same mill. He will assume his new duties Tuesday morning.

Mr. Gibbons has been connected with the Tremont & Suffolk mills for the past eight years and has a wide knowledge of engineering.

He is held in high esteem by his superiors and all of those connected with him in mill circles.

A prominent labor leader told the story this morning of a local young man who went to Boston to take a boiler examination. He was called into a private room and the first question the examiner asked of him was: What would you do the first thing in the morning on going into the boiler room?" The young man's answer was: "I'd look around to see if any son-of-gun stole my overalls." He was told he could try again in 90 days.

The Tremont & Suffolk bowling team will roll the White Ways for the City's championship and a side bet of $50. Best two out of three games. One game on the White Ways alleys. One on the Crescent and the third on neutral alleys.

Those are the terms and if Capt. Cole of the White Ways does not accept, it will show clearly that he fears the T. & S. quintet who are the White Ways' only rivals in the city for the championship.

This offer stands good till Thursday night and if Capt. Cole wishes to show his sporting blood he will accept it.

The Bachelor Girls

Those employes of the Lawrence hosiery otherwise known as the "Bachelor Girls" will ne the attraction at Keith's theatre, Sunday afternoon and evening. The members of this popular club are: Lena Shea, Marion Nolan, Florence Nolan, Jennie Wynne, Anna McCale, Etta Finnegan, Rose Nicholson, Mary Boyle, Madeline Boland, Julia Boland, Mary King, Kittie King, Katherine Malone, May Gallagher and Lillian McPherson. Miss Lillian McPherson is the leading soprano in the cast and possesses a fine voice.

I. W. W. Meeting Tonight

Joseph H. Downer, of Lawrence, well known in I. W. W. circles, announces that he will hold a mass meeting at city hall steps, this city, at 8 o'clock this evening, for the purpose of discussing the recent cut-down at the Tremont & Suffolk mills. Mr. Downer states that on Thursday evening eight employes of the Tremont & Suffolk were organized as members of the I. W. W. and have asked for a charter.

Fred Tenney a Shoemaker

Fred Tenney of Georgetown, Mass., former first baseman of the Boston National league baseball team and a few years ago manager of the Lowell club in the New England league, is to become a shoe manufacturer in Maine if the board of trade in South Paris will hearken to a proposition put to it by Mr. Tenney and Henry Spinney of Lynn. Negotiations have been pending for some time and will come to a head within a few days, it is expected, whereby the town of Paris will erect a factory 40x150 feet, one story high and exempt it from taxes for a stated period. The firm, it is reported, will turn out about 110 dozen a day and employ 200 people.

St. Ry. Employes

The regular meeting of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes of America was called to order at 8.30 last evening by President Sweeney. The roll call of officers showed the financial secretary, Michael McGrehan absent on account of illness. After all business was transacted by the body two new members, Thomas Malone and John Murphy, were received into the association.

It was voted to change the meeting nights from the first Friday of the month to the first and third Tuesday.

There was also a discussion on wage questions by the different members. Vice President Edward Tucke, Sr., John Garland, Edward B. O'Brien, John Scully and John McDowell addressed the meeting.

Cotton Spinners

The cotton spinners met in their hall in Middle street last evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Denis Reardon; vice president, Joseph Lachappelle; secretary treasurer, J. R. Aston; sergeant-at-arms, Henry Sigman. Much business was transacted and the members elected a committee on arrangements for the 'smoker" that will be held in their rooms on next Monday afternoon in commemoration of the founding of the organization which was March 3, 1890. They also appropriated $50 for this purpose. The union then voted $50 to the Pawtuxet Valley union who are out on strike. This money is in addition to a $30 assessment which they pay weekly. Remarks were made by prominent members. The newly elected president is a man of marked personality and a hard worker for the Cotton Spinners' union.

New Bedford Weavers

In this column a few days ago appeared a call for a meeting of the New Bedford weavers' union in which the New Bedford mills were threatened with labor trouble unless certain conditions were changed. The meeting was held this week and the New Bedford Times, reporting it, says:

"For a meeting which was heralded by such an extraordinary call as that which President Tom Thornley and Secretary Francis J. Duffy, Jr., issued last Friday night, the regular session of the Weavers' Protective association in Labor Temple last night was a comparatively tame affair and little outside of routine business was transacted.

Acting on the recommendation made by the committee to which the rules of the textile council was referred a few weeks ago for study, the union formally voted to re-enter that body and President Thornley, Secretary Duffy and two other members were named as delegates.

Not much was said about the grievances referred to in the communication accompanying the call. Secretary Duffy reported that one of the grievances has been satisfactorily adjusted with the manufacturer and that settlements are pending in other cases.

The union adopted a resolution asking that a representative of the Weavers' union be placed on the state board of labor and industries to which John Golden of Fall River has been appointed, because it is claimed by them that more laws relating to the weaving departments of the textile industry are enacted in this state than for any other branch of the industry."

Suit Against Shoe Workers

The petitioners finished their case yesterday with the exception of some documentary evidence which is to be prepared in the equity suit of the Hodgdon-Durand Shoe company of Salem vs. the United Shoe Workers of America which is being heard before Judge D. W. Quill as master at Salem, says the Beverly Times.

"The evidence yesterday was from John Riley, a cutter, who came from Haverhill after the strike was ordered to work in the Hodgdon-Durand factory. He has been a member of the Boot and Shoe Workers union 10 or 12 years, and is a big, husky fellow and said that the first night when he came out from work a crowd blockaded the sidewalk and when he pushed them aside ten or a dozen jumped on him, and, while he got a black eye and a swollen ear he 'did the best he could' A couple of nights later he started out with West, and a crowd of 150 to 200 followed them. He heard some one say get the big husky, and turned around and saw Meagher in the crowd and some one hit West over the head with a club—he did not see the blow but heard the club fall on the sidewalk and picked it up and saw a man running away. He admitted he was a little scared, but returned to work the next day although he had been followed by the crowd to his lodging place and they had talked of killing. He had seen Anna Guy in the vicinity of the factory and she had called scab.

"On cross examination, witness was asked if he would run away from a fight today and replied, 'Not so you would notice it.' Asked if he didn't swagger back and forth on Canal street with his corncob pipe in his mouth, he laughed and said he didn't need a permit to smoke on the street. Wasn't you looking for trouble? No. Haven't you gone around asking if anybody wanted to take anything out of a scab? No.

"Witness said he belonged to the local 181 in Haverhill, having been transferred from Brockton last fall, and was in good standing."

ROB AMERICAN TEACHERS

INSTRUCTORS FROM BEIRUT COLLEGE ATTACKED BY BRIGANDS AT SEA OF GALILEE

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 18.—American teachers from the Beirut college were attacked and robbed by brigands and one of them was slightly wounded by a bullet while they were on an excursion yesterday to the sea of Galilee, now known as Lake Tiberias.

The American consul general in Beirut, in reporting the occurrence to the embassy here today, said the Americans came from the American college and one wounded was not dangerously hurt.

The Syrian Protestant college, founded by the Rev. Dr. Daniel Bliss, an American Congregational clergyman, is understood to be meant as it is generally known as the American college. It is an extensive institution under the direction of the Rev. Howard Bliss, a son of the founder.

The American ambassador immediately called the attention of the Turkish authorities to the outrage and was given the promise that the property of the American teachers would be recovered and the brigands punished.

SCHOONER KITE SAFE

SEALER WITH 70 MEN ON BOARD, MISSING FOR MONTH REPORTED SAFE

ST. JOHNS, N. F., April 18.—The sealing schooner Kite, from which no tidings have been received for more than a month, was reported safe today. The Kite which the smallest vessel in the sealing fleet has about 70 men on board.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been recorded at the city clerk's office since the last were published:

Fred L. Campbell, 23, assistant superintendent, 53 Keene street, and Anna C. Convery, 21, at home, 36 Lagrange street.

Olmer Dussault, 26, slater, 344 Suffolk street, and Margaret Dupont (widowed, nee Allen), 29, spinner, same address.

Thomas A. Scully, 21, clerk, Manchester, N. H. and Mildred E. Morang, 20, clerk, same address.

Edward F. O'Brien, 23, baker, 33 West Tenth street, and Annie L. Donnelly, 23, at home, 76 East Merrimack street.

Henry Elie, 18, electrician, 34 Fisher street, and Mabel Mooney, 21, stenographer, 57 Crosby street.

Patrick J. Miskol, 29, freight handler 53 Schafer street, and Mary Gallagher, at home, 307 Pawtucket street.

George A. Harnipounis, 25, shoemaker, 42 Common street, and Katherine G. Geracoullas, 23, operative, same address.

Edward Manning (widowed), 59, retired, 59 Hall street, and E. L. Robbins, 56, clerk, 258 Chelmsford street.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Employed But Child Died and an Inquest May Be Ordered—Malnutrition and Indigestion Cause of Death

PITTSFIELD, April 18.—Medical Examiner Henry Colt has filed a report in district court stating that the baby of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hobane of 21 Charles street died on Monday of malnutrition and indigestion. The parents employed a Christian Science practitioner and nurse for the child. An inquest may be ordered.

ABANDONED SCHOONER ARRIVES

ST. PIERRE, Miq., April 18.—After being abandoned by her crew as a total loss, the Gloucester fishing schooner Harmony, which was driven ashore on Thursday, floated clear today and was brought into the harbor to be docked.

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HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

Wm. Adams Arraigned on Charge That He Wilfully Murdered His Stepdaughter

NORWAY, Me., April 18.—William Adams, a farmer near here today was arraigned in the district court here on the charge that he did wilfully murder his step-daughter, Mrs. Ethel M. Cummings at his home at Albany Tuesday afternoon. He pleaded not guilty.

As County Attorney Frederick R. Dyer of Buckfield was unable to be present Judge W. S. Jones continued the case for a hearing at 1 p. m. next Wednesday. Adams was committed to the county jail at South Paris without bail. He was represented by counsel. Sheriff William O. Frothingham was named as complainant. The proceedings occupied less than five minutes.

Charles Morey son of one of the Adams' neighbors, is wanted as an important witness. The county officials began a search for him upon being told by Adams that he was talking with the girl-wife in the field back of the Adams house half an hour before the shooting. They hoped to learn from him something of the girl's thoughts just previous to her death. His mother said he had gone to Massachusetts but she did not know to which port of that state.

MANY PERMITS GIVEN

Continued

but the good people of the city are not supposed to rake and scrape and build fires on Sunday. The mayor says he had in mind that inside work could be done on Sunday and that today and Monday might be devoted to the out-door work.

Fire Chief Saunders was a caller at city hall this forenoon and he said that on account of so many fire permits being granted he would not be surprised if the fire bells would be heard several times during the afternoon and evening.

Pine Trees are Dying

Some kind of an unknown disease has struck the beautiful clump of pine trees whose spreading branches have shaded the sick at the Lowell General hospital and whose aroma has permeated and sweetened the air for the white plague victims. The trees are near the tubercular camps and the disease seems to have attacked them at their roots and Moth Inspector Gordon has asked State Forester Rane to come here next week and examine the trees. Mr. Rane is said to be a very skillful tree surgeon and after having diagnosed the case he will either apply or recommend a remedy. On one of his visits here Mr. Rane spoke of this particular clump of pines and said he thought the trees are as nice as any he had seen in the state. Some wag has suggested that perhaps the movement to locate a contagious disease hospital in close proximity to them might have so distressed the pines that they took sick and prepared to die.

State Inspector's Orders

State Inspector Carey has instructed Commissioner Jas. E. Donnelly, whose department includes public buildings, to make the following repairs to school houses: Pawtucket school—Apply hardware to all egress doors and put on floor cleats. Bartlett school—Exit signs and floor cleats. Greenhalge—Exit signs on the easterly portion, and floor cleats. Varnum—Floor cleats and new hardware for basement stairs and also to make ceiling in basement over boilers of the proper construction to prevent spread of fire. Lincoln school—Hand rails on both sides of all stairways. Washington school—Floor cleats.

Hearing Called Off

The hearing on the removal of Josiah Hart as board of health stable man has been called off The hearing was asked by representatives of the Trades and Labor council and was set for tonight, but after investigating the case the labor representatives asked that the hearing be called off. This information was given out at the mayor's office this forenoon. Mr. Hart was discharged by order of the mayor and ex-Alderman Flanagan was assigned to the position.

To Settle Claims

Commissioner Brown stated today that at the meeting of the municipal council to be held next Wednesday he would ask that a meeting for the consideration of claims for personal and property injuries be held on the following day: "I understand that men and women with claims against the city are coming to city hall every day to find out if the claims are ever to be settled. I do not think there is any necessity for delay in the matter and I am going to ask that all claims be settled either one way of the other next week."

State Accountants Back

The expert accountants from the office of the state bureau of labor and statistics are back at city hall again after an absence of a week or two and they will complete their audit of the city's accounts. The men engaged in the work are Messrs. Tarbox, Masters and Childs.

THE BASEBALL POOLS

TICKET SELLERS ARE BUSY ABOUT TOWN REGARDLESS OF POLICE THREATS

If the movement to stop the sale of baseball pools in Lowell is a sincere one, then there are several young men about town who are willing to take a risk and the risk compares with that of the maker of illegit whiskey.

The pool tickets are being sold freely about town. Certain names have been mentioned in connection with the sale of these tickets and it has been called to the attention of the authorities that tickets for a pool operated in New Hampshire are being sold here, and that some of the old-time ticket buyoys are refusing to buy because the pool covers too big a territory.

It has also been stated that at least two pools have been started in this city and that a big sale of tickets has already been made. Just what the mayor and Supt. Welch intend to do about it remains to be seen, but it seems as if it ought not to be a very hard job to get the vendors of these tickets.

ATTACHMENT FILED

An attachment was filed at the local registry of deeds this forenoon against the Boston & Maine railroad in behalf of Robert I. Curran of Westfield. The amount was placed at $300,000 for an action of contract.

LOWELL MAN

Chosen Sec'y-Treas. of American Waste Cotton Exchange

The following item which will be of interest to local mill men is being reproduced from the last issue of Fibre and Fabric of Boston:

For some time local cotton waste merchants have hoped that eventually Boston would have a cotton waste exchange, corresponding in many respects to cotton exchanges throughout the world. This has finally been realized, for on Tuesday of the past week local cotton waste dealers, as well as representatives of waste companies and corporations in various sections of the country met at the City club, and formed a permanent organization under the title of the "American Cotton Waste Exchange."

This new body is composed entirely of individual members and not of firms or corporations. No initiation fee is demanded, but an annual fee of fifty dollars ($50) is required of each member.

It is thought likely that quarters will eventually be procured in Boston for such meetings and social gatherings as might be on the card.

The object of the exchange, as set forth in the constitution, is to promote the interests of those persons, firms or corporations engaged in the sale and manufacture of cotton, cotton waste, etc., to cooperate for the improvement of conditions relating to the business, to establish uniformity in the customs and usages of said business, also to encourage frank and friendly intercourse among members and with those with whom they have dealings.

It is evidently apparent from interviews that local merchants engaged in the cotton waste trade are enthusiastic over this venture, and much interested in the future success of the exchange. They also feel that such an organization will inevitably overcome many difficulties arising from time to time in their business.

Following are the temporary officers and committees elected until the first annual elections on May 6: Samuel L. Ayres, of Ayres, Bridges & Co., Boston, president; Richard Mayer, Boston, vice-president; S. H. Roberts, of the Merrimack Utilization company, Lowell, secretary and treasurer.

Executive committee—Chairman, George Leigh, of John Leigh & Co., Boston; E. Goodwin, Railway Supply & Manufacturing Co., Cincinnati; M. J. Dunn, Fitchburg; J. J. Ryan, United Waste Manufacturing Co., Troy, N. Y.; H. Benson, A. Merson & Co., Boston; D. P. Lillie, Indian Orchard, Mass.; R. M. Dana, Pawtucket, R. I.; Adolph Levi, Boston, and Albert Reed, Pawtucket, R. I.

Membership committee—Chairman, Arthur Hill, Hill & Cutler, Boston; J. M. Whittemore and J. E. Estes, Fall River, Mass.; George E. Howard, Springfield, Mass.; H. C. Church, Taunton, Mass.; Edward Rose, Boston, and Eugene Andres.

MELVIN HOTEL FIRE

CAUSED BY SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION IN BASEMENT LOCKERS, ACCORDING TO TESTIMONY

BOSTON, April 18.—Spontaneous combustion in two lockers in which certain fixtures were stored in the basement of the building, was the cause of the Melvin apartment house fire, which resulted in the loss of eight lives early last Tuesday morning, according to the testimony brought out at the secret inquest conducted yesterday at the state house by Fire Marshal Neal.

Mr. Neal stated after the inquest that he was not satisfied with the results of the hearing and that he purposes to delve deeper into the fire mystery, with the object of obtaining all possible evidence that will tend to show beyond a doubt the cause of the fire and to explain the delays connected with the fire alarm.

Senator Lombard Williams of Dedham, chairman of the committee on metropolitan affairs, Henry E. Bothfeld of Newton, Herbert A. Wilson of Boston and Charles S. Lawler of Boston, who are to draft a fire hazard bill for Greater Boston, were admitted to the inquest and listened interestedly to the testimony.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

Population, 106,294; total deaths, 36; deaths under five, 13; acute lung diseases, 6; tuberculosis, 2; infectious diseases, 2.

Death rate: 17.61 against 23.48 and 14.68 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Diphtheria, 2; typhoid fever, 1; measles, 28; cerebro spinal meningitis, 1; tuberculosis, 4. Board of health.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

SOMERVILLE, Apri 18.—Frederick Bullock, formerly of Newport, R. I. committed suicide by shooting himself today.

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SECRET SERVICE MEN GUARD N. Y. MAYOR

Counsel Polk, Shot in Mistake for Mayor Mitchel, Spent Restless Night—Would-be-assassin Held in $25,000 on Charge of Attempted Murder in First Degree

NEW YORK, April 18.—Michael P. Mahoney, who yesterday attempted to assassinate Mayor Mitchel and in so doing wounded Frank L. Polk, corporation counsel, was arraigned in the Tombs police court today on a charge of attempted murder in the first degree. He was held in $25,000 bail for the action of the grand jury

When questioned by detectives, Mahoney stated that when he bought the revolver which he fired yesterday he told the man who sold it in Jersey City that he wanted "to kill a rat."

"To Kill a Rat"

After the court proceedings, the would-be assassin was lined up before the entire detective squad of New York, who behind masked faces, examined him carefully, for "further reference."

POLK SPENT RESTLESS NIGHT

NEW YORK, April 18.—Corporation Counsel Frank L. Polk, who was shot in mistake for Mayor Mitchel yesterday by Michael P. Mahoney, mentally unbalanced, spent a restless night and suffered much pain. The bullet was removed early last night and his physicians announced today that the patient would be able to leave the hospital within two days and after a rest of two weeks be fit to resume his official duties. From the many incoherent letters written by Mahoney in which he attacked the official acts of Mayor Mitchel of this city, of Mayor Armstrong of Pittsburgh and of Col. Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone, and after a two hours' study of the aged man, District Attorney Whitman expressed the opinion that Mahoney was of the "embittered and sodden type of hobo." This statement indicated that the district attorney would not oppose action to have the prisoner adjudged insane. Mr. Whitman said that while the best course might be to have Mahoney confined in an asylum, the mayor and Mr. Polk must be consulted before a final decision is reached.

Guard Mayor Mitchel

The attempted assassination by Mahoney caused Police Commissioner

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THE GRAND JURY

To Probe Lowell and Middlesex County's Finances May 25

CAMBRIDGE, April 18.—A special session of the Middlesex county grand jury will be called at Lowell May 25, District Attorney Corcoran announced today. At this session an investigation will be made of alleged irregularities in county affairs and charges of illegal expenditures of Lowell municipal funds will also be probed.

The district attorney said he had instituted a suit for $38,000 against Sheriff J. R. Fairbairn to recover funds alleged to have been embezzled by a former bookkeeper at the house of correction.

POVERTY AMONG CARMEN

MIDDLESEX & BOSTON STREET RAILWAY CO.'S EMPLOYES TELL THEIR TROUBLES

WEST NEWTON, April 18.—Tales of poverty were unfolded to the members of the arbitration board sitting at West Newton yesterday by employes of the Middlesex & Boston Street Railway company. At the close of the day's session the hearing was adjourned until next Wednesday and there is a possibility that the remainder of the session may be held in Waltham.

Probably the most interesting testimony of the day was that given by Daniel Maglone of Natick, who for 21 years has been a motorman and now earns 27 cents an hour. He declared that since his marriage, 23 years ago, he has had no other clothes than his uniform and has never had a vacation. To eke out a living, he said, he gives boxing lessons in the dining-room of his home and also raises ferrets and dogs. His family consists of his wife and seven children.

Daniel L. Robinson, for six years a conductor, told the board he pays $15 a month for rent, but that his wife is so confident the arbitration will result in an increase that he has arranged for a better home that will cost $18 a month. He said that previous to taking his present job he saved $900, but the other day his book showed a balance of only $6. His uniforms formerly cost him $16.50 each, but now he has to buy them in installments and they cost $18. In four years Robinson has had four days' vacation.

John Thrasher, a "spare" motorman, said that he earns $10.50 a week and in order to do so is on call night and day. He is married, has one child and is $150 in debt. Thrasher says that he has one suit of clothes besides his uniform.

John F. Morris, who is married and has two children, testified that he earns $10.50 a week and that, though his apartment contains five rooms, the family was forced to live in one room this winter as they have only one stove.

CITATION ON HARRY THAW

GRANTED FIDELITY TITLE AND TRUST CO OF PITTSBURGH IN ORPHANS' COURT

PITTSBURGH, April 18—In the orphans' court here today, the Fidelity Title and Trust company of Pittsburgh was granted a citation on Harry K. Thaw, to show cause why there should not be a suspension from further proceedings regarding the distribution of $160,000 income from the estate of William Thaw, until the court has issued further orders. The citation is returnable April 20.

Last February 20 the court directed that Thaw, the trust company and relatives should have 60 days in which to file an answer to Thaw's application for a jury to decide his sanity. The trust company sent alienists to Concord to examine Thaw but they were refused that privilege by Thaw, according to the trust company.

MURDER CHARGE

Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus for Chin Kin Tow

BOSTON, April 18—A petition for a writ of habeas corpus was asked of the United States district court today by attorneys representing Chin Kin Tow held for the Illinois authorities on a charge of murder. The point in the dispute is the identity of the prisoner.

The warrant on which the arrest was made called for the arrest of Harry Eng Hong, charged with the murder of Mock Chung, president of the Hip Sing tong, in Chicago, two years ago. The petition states that the man under arrest is Chin Kin Tow and not Harry Eng Hong, the person named in the warrant.

A hearing on the petition will be given Tuesday.

TENNIS DOUBLES

Jay Gould and W.H.T. Huhn Defended Their Title

BOSTON, April 18.—Jay Gould and W. H. T. Huhn of Philadelphia successfully defended their title of national court tennis doubles champions today by defeating George R. Fearing, Jr., and C. T. Russell of this city in the final match of the doubles championship contest at the Tennis & Racquet club. Gould ann Huhn won in straight sets, 6—5, 6—5, 6—4.

The quality of tennis displayed was said by close followers of the sport to be the best ever seen at the local club. The Boston pair directed their attack at Huhn who grew stronger as the match progressed and demonstrated a wonderful ability to make the returns.

TWO MEN ASPHYXIATED

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 18.—The accidental disconnecting of a rubber gas hose between the pipe and a stove caused the asphyxiation of two men in a Fountain street stable early today. The men were William Ralph employed in the stable and Hugh Sweeney, his brother-in-law, whom Ralph had invited to sleep with him in his room in the stable. It is the theory of the police and medical examiner that the men knocked the stove over sometime during the night, disconnecting the hose.

FIRE IN SOUTH STREET

While Mrs. Charles Echmelia was frying potatoes shortly after 10 o'clock this forenoon a spark from the stove caused a small fire. The members of hose 7 were soon on the scene and put out the blaze before any serious damage had been done. The building is owned by John F. Saunders.

REDUCTION IN PRICE OF COAL

There will be no reduction in the price of coal in this city for a short time at least according to a statement made by a local dealer yesterday. Although it is admitted that the lowering of the price in Boston about two weeks ago will eventually mean a similar reduction in this city no information as to when it will be made can be gained by Lowell dealers, it is claimed.

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SANCTUARY CHOIR EVENT

ANNUAL CONCERT AND DANCE A GREAT SUCCESS—ENJOYED BY 700 PEOPLE

There was a large gathering at St. Patrick's parochial school hall last night, and of course there was a reason, for the members of the sanctuary choir of the church conducted their sixth annual entertainment and dance. The affair was one of the most successful ever conducted and reflected much credit on the organizers, Rev. Bro. Idlephonse, who had charge of the entertainment, and Charles N. Sladen of Boston, who directed the musical numbers.

A feature of the evening was the two sketches so ably presented, "Wanted, a Confidential Clerk," and "A Thief in the House." Each sketch had considerable merit to it and the various characters were interpreted in a manner that reflected very creditably on those included in the casts.

The chorus numbers by the sanctuary choir composed of 75 voices were also very pleasing and the boys were forced to respond to several encores. The duet numbers by William Chandler and Peter Kane were also well rendered and highly appreciated by the audience.

The full program of the evening was as follows:

Overture, "Sons of Erin," orchestra; chorus, "Millie's Wooing," sanctuary choir; farce, "Wanted a Confidential Clerk," cast, Jonathan Dobbs," a shipping agent, Edward J. O'Neil; "John McCormack," a Hibernian, James J. Molloy; "Horatio Lushington," who has seen better days, Cornelius M. Clohecy; "Charles Valentine," who has a great idea of his own importance, Martin E. Clough; "Dick Sharp," a loquacious individual, James F. Nelligan; "Harry Dalton," of quiet habits, John A. O'Brien; soprano solo, "I've Seen the Swallows Pass Me By," William Chandler; interlude, "Ivresse," orchestra. Comedy, "A Thief in the House," cast: "Jack Morris" and "Tom Parker," students, roommates, John F. Stapleton and James S. King; "Jerry Sharp," from New York, Edw. J. Nelligan; "Aunt Carrie," a colored servant, Edw. J. Flannery; "Ike Cohen," a suspicious character, Daniel A. Powers; messenger boy, Raymond A. O'Brien; duet, "O'er the Hill, O'er the Dale," Peter Kane and William Chandler; recitation, "Phadrig Crohore," Cornelius M. Clohecy; chorus, "When My Ship Comes Over the Sea," sanctuary choir; march, "Diversion," orchestra.

At the conclusion of the entertainment, general dancing was in order, music being furnished by Sheehan's orchestra. The officers of the evening were: General manager, Michael J. Coyle; assistants, Joseph Dinneen and Peter Gill; floor director, James F. Nelligan; assistant floor director, Frederick Kelley; chief aids, Eugene J. Dean, James A. Ryan; aids, Edw. J. O'Neil, Daniel A. Powers, Edw. J. Flannery, James S. King, John A. O'Brien, John J. Keefe, Arthur T. Conley, John T. Powers, James J. Flannery, Thomas F. Dean, Edw. J. Nelligan, Michael F. Doherty, John F. Stapleton, James J. Molloy, John J. Barrdon, George A. Tobin, Edw. A. Keleher, Edw. B. Connolly, George R. Morris and Albert Dacey.

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THE BOOTT MILLS

Intend to Increase Capital Stock to $1,700,000

For several years the Boott mills have been considering the capitalizing of improvements in machinery, power, etc., and an examination of the physical property has been made at the request of the directors by Mr. A. G. Cumnock, treasurer of the Appleton mills. The Boott has been rehabilitating itself for several years by installing new machinery and changing the power. The plant is a big one and is run today almost entirely by electric drives. At a recent meeting of the stockholders it was decided to engage Mr. Cumnock to make a physical examination of the property with the purpose in view of increasing the capitalization from $1,000,000 to probably $1,600,000 or $1,700,000. Mr. Cumnock has made the examination but has not yet reported to the directors.

The fact that Mr. Cumnock and his son who represents a New York selling house paid one or more visits to the Boott mills a week or so ago the report went out that Mr. Cumnock was going to purchase the plant and it wasn't known if he was purchasing it for himself and son or for the New York selling house. The fact remains, however, that he was simply making a physical examination of the property.

SUES B. & M. R. R.

Rob't F. Curran of Westfield, New Jersey, asks $300,000

BOSTON, April 18.—A suit against the Boston & Maine Railroad Co. for $300,000 was entered today by Robert F. Curran of Westfield, N. J., who holds $210,000 of the company's notes. The company's real estate was attached by the plaintiff.

The suit is one of several instituted by holders of a note issue which matured Feb. 3, when most of the noteholders agreed to an extension of time.

THE PORTLAND FANCY

AND NOT THE ONE-STEP KILLED SCITUATE TAX COLLECTOR AND VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR

SCITUATE, April 18.—Fenton W. Varney, tax collector and veteran of the Civil war, dropped dead of apoplexy shortly after 10 last evening while dancing the Portland fancy in the Scituate Women's club.

Mr. Varney, who was 70 years old, attended the concert of the Wollaston Glee club with his wife. When he dropped to the floor Dr. E. R. Johnson, a member of the Glee club, rushed to his side, but found the man lifeless.

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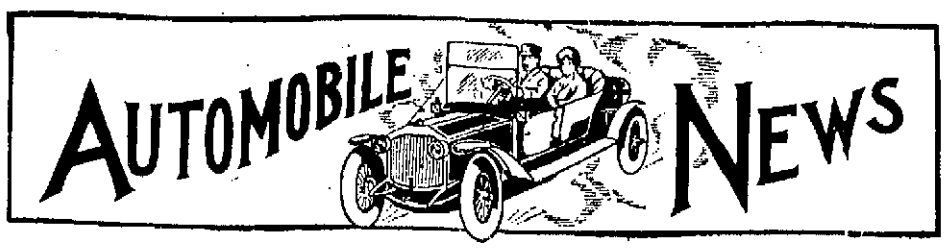

AUTO DEALERS HAPPY

Report Many Sales Despite the Inclement Weather—Anticipate a Busy Season

Although the weather conditions for the past week have been such as to retard all but the most determined buyers it is universally stated by local automen that they have been doing a whirlwind business despite the fact that it is a little early for the season proper. From this it may be gleaned that this year bids fair to be a record-breaker in the automobile industry. At every garage and auto mart may be seen well pleased looks on the faces of the owners. This favorable condition amid such untoward circumstances should give rise to the thought "Why this flourishing trade?" There is but one answer. The local dealer, always anxious to please and give satisfaction, and anticipating the desires and wants of their customers, have in stock the cars and accessories which will meet the demands even of the most fastidious.

Boston Supply Co.

Wow! what a busy day at the Boston Supply Co. on Bridge street! The writer dropped in this morning for his usual chat with genial Joe McGarry, but was fated to meet with disappointment. Everywhere there was the sound of moving feet, the clanking or wares and demands for tires. Now, don't think that Joe didn't want to chat but there was no time for it as customers wanted this, that or some other equipment and Joe was on the spot and had the goods to do it. When asked what was his big seller in tires, he replied with that captivating and inimitable smile, "They're all going fine but I'm dealing out 'Goodrich's' as you'd deal out cards. Never saw anything like it," Joe added, enthusiastically. And here is the secret of Joe's remarkable success, a mixture of enthusiasm keen business ability, cheerfulness and a comprehensive and extensive supply of high class and up-to-date auto goods. This is why those who trade with him once come again and again and bring others with them.

At Mark McCann's

Mr. Mark McCann of Gorham street states that he has been making numerous sales on bicycles besides doing well with motorcycle sales, thus showing the steady and continued demand for wheels. Mr. McCann recently secured a service bicycle which has a large wicker basket attached to the frame of the machine, just behind the handle-bars. It is proving very satisfactory in the delivery of small bundles as quite a number of parcels can be carried at one time. Mr. McCann recently sold one to the New York Cloak & Suit Co. Sullivan's market also bought a similar machine of this popular salesman.

Lowell Buick Co.

Mr. Hale of the Lowell Buick Co. states that sales have been tremendous; that up to date they have done more business than was accomplished by that firm during the entire past year. The Lowell Buick Co. has recently delivered a six-cylinder Buick car to Mr. P. Goldman of Dutton street and Mr. Daniel H. Walker of Dutton street. Buick models 25 and 26, roadster style, are selling at a five per cent. premium. So popular are they that none can be obtained in Boston.

Mr. Chandler Busy

Mr. Chandler is glad to inform his large clientele of customers that he has added to his force Mr Taylor as foreman, formerly with the Packard people in Boston, and Mr. Goyette, who was previously with the Lozier company of Boston. Mr. Chandler feels able to assure his trade that he can take care of their orders with promptness and satisfaction.

A. H. Mitchell of the Mitchell Boys' school of North Billerica has just purchased a Buick roadster. Mr. Pitt supplied the accessories.

Hovey Auto Livery

A. B. Hovey of the Hovey Auto Livery reports a fine business during the past week. His cars are going day and night, giving satisfaction every trip and as yet he has his first complaint to come. Mr. Hovey has several weddings booked for next week. He stands for safety and comfort and this he gives in the fullest measure. Early orders will help Mr. Hovey to serve your needs, no matter how immediate.

Pitts Auto Supply

Harry Pitts of Pitts Auto Supply house in Hurd street has just received $20,000 worth of tires. He believes that his business, steady at all times, warrants such an order. Both Mr. Pitts and "Jimmie" Boland are delighted at the insistent demand for Patterson tires, a home industry, which is gaining in popularity. Mr. Pitts has a varied supply of gaskets which, he says, cannot be duplicated either in quantity or sizes, north of Boston.

Donovan Harness Co.

Donovan Harness Co. at 109 Market street, is proving to be a mecca for all those desiring auto tops and the like, and also a proper and suitable adjustment of the same.

A Lowell Invention

No little comment has been aroused among local automobile enthusiasts especially Ford owners, over an invention which is the result of the cleverness of Claude Winters, a Lowell man, formerly with the Heinze Electric company. This invention, known as the Lindar Vibrator, is especially designed for the Ford car. It guarantees easier cranking and more power.

One of the features of this vibrator is a long range of adjustment and it has an excellent sychronism which gives exactly the same condition of ignition in all four cylinders. Hence more power is obtained from the engine since there is no chance of any one cylinder operating with a weaker or inharmonious ignition. As this vibrator produces a hot lively spark cranking a car equipped with one of these wonderful little vibrators ceases to be labor.

The Stanley Coal and Transportation Co. has purchased of Jos. Parmentier, 441 Moody street a Harley Davidson motorcycle 2 speed twin and side car for use in the service station of their automobile department.

Mr. Joseph Parmentier has recently sold Harley Davidson motorcycles to Mr. Michael Fleming, 139 Cross street, and Mr. W. E. Ballinger of North Chelmsford.

Joseph Parmentier, agent for the Harley Davidson motorcycle, Michael Fleming, Napoleon Genest, Harold McKnight and W. E. Ballinger started at 9.30 this morning from Park Square, Boston, for Worcester and return.

Charlie Hogue started this morning on his 6 h. p. Thor motorcycle for Bridgewater Ct., a distance of 305 miles He expects to arrive at his destination this evening.

DEATHS

DUNLAVEY—Alice Margaret Dunlavey, the infant daughter of Michael and Nora Dunlavey, died yesterday afternoon at their home, 50 South Whipple street, at the age of 1 year and 4 months. She is survived, besides her parents, by three brothers, George, Frank and Joseph Dunlavey, and by two sisters, Isabelle and Mary Dunlavey.

MERRILL—The secretary of the Lowell lodge of Elks has received a communication from Polson, Montana, announcing the death of Frank M. Merrill, a former resident of this city. Mr. Merrill at one time conducted the Merrill House in Tyngsboro and was widely known here 15 years ago. Authorities at Polson ask instructions as to the disposition of the body, and Sec. Hogan is in search of information that will put him in touch with relatives of the dead man.

DODGE—Miss Elsie P. Dodge, formerly of Blue Hill, Me., and a well known resident of this city, died at her home, 143 Grove street, yesterday, lacking one day of 52 years. She is survived by one sister, Miss Nellie A. Dodge, and one brother, W. E. Dodge, both of this city.

McCARRON — Michael McCarron died this morning at St. John's hospital after a short illness of ten days, with pneumonia. He leaves to mourn his loss three brothers, Patrick, Anthony and Joseph, all of this city. The body was removed to the home of his brother Anthony at 142 Concord street.

CASHMAN—Daniel Cashman, an old resident of the Navy Yard, Dracut, died this morning at the home of his son, Michael Cashman, 72 Fulton street, after a lingering illness. Mr. Cashman was a devout attendant of St. Michael's church for many years and a member of the Holy Name society. He is survived by one son, Michael, with whom he made his home, and two daughters, Mrs. George Burns and Mrs. Peter Lynch.

McCLUSKEY—Hugh McCluskey died this morning at the Chelmsford Street hospital. He is survived by one daughter. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers C. H. Molloy.

The deceased also leaves two daughters, Annis and Mary, and a brother, Frank.

FUNERALS

OLSEN—The funeral services of Nils Olsen were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 2 Puffer street and were largely attended. Rev. J. E. Dinsmore, assistant pastor of the First Baptist church, and Rev. A. Berggren, pastor of the Norwegian Methodist church, conducted the services. There was singing by Mrs. William H. Pepin and Miss Vivian Cowan who sang "We'll Never Say Goodbye," "When the Mists Have Rolled Away" and "Christian's Good Night." The flowers were many and beautiful, including a pillow inscribed "Husband and Father" from the family, and other tributes from Mrs. Grimsett, Mr. and Mrs. P. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hansen and Miss Gunda Olsen; Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Severson, Mr. Bjorke and Mr. and Mrs. O. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Haavie, Mr. and Mrs Nils Enger, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Olsen and Mr. and Mrs. Kristian Myhr, telephone girls, Mary F. Drum and Frank Drum, the Bakke children, George Topjian, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Anderson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilkins, Mrs. H. L. Tibbetts, Y. P. C. E. of First Baptist church, Rostlers, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley, Amoma class of the First Baptist church. The bearers were Charles Anderson, Martin Grimsett, Geo. Topjian and John Lund, a delegation from local 95, Iron Moulders' union of North America. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Dinsmore and Rev. Mr. Berggren. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

HORAN—The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Horan took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, No. 8 L street. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Dennis Murphy. The floral offerings were from Mr. and Mrs. Lambert and Mr. W. Simpson, the Celtic Associates, Irish National Brotherhood, a friend. The bearers were Messrs John Dorsey, Malachy Tierney, John Hunt and John T Shea. There was a delegation from the Celtic Associates, consisting of the following members Mr. Martin Larney, Mr. George W. Cahill and Mr. James Waterson. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Murphy read the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

MASSON—The funeral of Mrs Joseph Masson took place this morning from her home, 12 Smith street. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at Notre Dame de Lourdes church at 9 o'clock, the officiating clergyman being Rev. J. B. A. Barrette, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Magnan, O. M. I. of Quebec as deacon and Rev. Jos. Magnan, O. M. I., of this city as subdeacon. The bearers were Jas. Gauthier, John Martel, Charles Laroche, Delphis Mallory. There was a profusion of floral offerings. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Joseph Magnan O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Jos. Albert.

ELA—The funeral of Rev. Walter Ela, who died April 14, at his home in Pascoag, R. I., took place yesterday from the Laurel Hill Methodist church of that city, and was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Scribner officiated and there were many beautiful flowers. The body was brought to this city in the afternoon and burial took place in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery, where Rev. L. C. Wright, pastor of the Melrose Methodist church of Melrose, read the committal service. Undertaker William H. Saunders had charge.

McQUADE—The funeral of the late Andrew F. McQuade took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 7 Auburn street and was largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem was sung by Rev. W. George Mullin. Among the floral tributes was a pillow inscribed "Husband and Father," from the family. Others who sent tributes were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cronin, Philip Smith, Smith family, Mr. and Mrs. D. J Cooney and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carr, Local 190, Brewery Workers, and Mrs. Edward Johnston. Mr. Edward Finnegan and Joseph Kennedy. The bearers were John Day, Edward Carr, representing the Brewery Workers; Joseph Egan and Philip Smith. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Mullin. Undertakers M. H McDonough Sons had charge.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DUNLAVEY—The funeral of Mary Dunlavey will take place Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home of her parents, 50 Whipple street. Burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker J. J. O'Connell has charge of the funeral.

SDOUKOS—The funeral of Nicholas J. Sdoukos will take place this afternoon from the chapel of C. H. Molloy in Market street. The body will be sent to Manchester, N. H., where the burial will take place tomorrow afternoon from his home, 74 Spruce street, in charge of C. H. Molloy.

DODGE—Miss Elsie P. Dodge, formerly of Blue Hill, Maine, and a well known resident of this city, died at her home, 143 Grove street, early yesterday morning, aged 52 years, yesterday being her birthday. She is survived by one sister, Miss Nellie A. Dodge of this city and one brother, W. E. Dodge, also of this city. The funeral services will be held from her late residence, No. 143 Grove street, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

McCLUSKEY—The funeral of Hugh McCluskey will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral chapel of Undertaker C. H. Molloy on Market street. A funeral high mass will be sung at the Sacred Heart church, time to be announced later. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of C. H. Molloy.

CASHMAN—The funeral of the late Daniel Cashman will take place on Monday morning at 8.45 o'clock from the home of his son, 72 Fulton street. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9.30 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Joseph's cemetery, Amesbury, Mass. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

McCARRON—The funeral of Michael McCarron will take place Monday morning from the home of his brother, 142 Concord street. A funeral mass will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9.15. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge. It was the last wish of the deceased to send no flowers.

MEXICAN SITUATION

Continued

FLEET WILL STAY IN MEXICAN WATERS UNTIL SALUTE TO FLAG IS FIRED

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Upon word from Huerta depended vital developments in the Mexican situation today. The United States had rejected Huerta's repeated suggestion for a simultaneous salute. Naval officers say that under naval precedent salutes are returned only after the party apologizing for an offense finishes firing. Administration officials contend that no recognition, tacit or otherwise of the Huerta government, is involved in the return salute.

This was the status of the situation early today. Word from Huerta of his final acceptance of the American conditions was hourly expected and there was a prediction expressed in many official quarters that it would be given and the incident ended. There were those, however, and especially in congressional circles who thought Huerta would attempt further to delay the issue

The Atlantic fleet will not be called back until the salute is actually fired. It is practically certain that serious consequences will follow any refusal by Huerta to accede to the American demand as outlined in the final messages yesterday. President Wilson has told members of the two congressional committees in charge of foreign affairs that he has given Huerta a reasonable time to comply. This is taken to mean that parleys can continue only until the Atlantic fleet arrives, which is expected to be on Tuesday or Wednesday.

PATRIOTS DAY

Continued

until Tuesday morning. The banks will also be closed Monday, and the leading department stores will be closed for the day. The mail carriers will make one delivery in the morning, while the postoffice will be open from 8 to 10 a. m.

Baseball Season Opens

Patriots day will also mark the opening of the baseball season in this city and, accordingly, there will be two games, one in the forenoon and the other in the afternoon. If the weather is favorable, it is believed that the fans at Spalding park will be numerous.

There will be a number of social events in the afternoon and evening, and the local theatres have special programs for the day. In the evening it is believed that a number of Lowell sports will journey to Lawrence, where some of the local pugilists will give an exhibition in the down-river city arena.

French Volunteer Brigade

The local guards of the French-American Volunteer Brigade of the United States will also journey to Lawrence, where a parade and military contest will be held. The parade will be in the forenoon, while the military maneuvers will take place in the afternoon.

U. S. Bunting Club

The members of the Bunting club have arranged for a soccer game in the afternoon and a concert at night. The entertainment committee has charge of the concert arrangements and the members of this popular organization will be given a real treat in the musical line.

Cotton Spinners Celebrate

The cotton spinners are going to observe the day with a smoker in their rooms in Middle street. The affair will be held in the afternoon and will be in connection with the anniversary of the founding of the organization.

At the local armory the militiamen will spend the day in bowling, basketball and other athletics. There will also be a shooting contest between the members and it is fair to assume that the armory will be a lively place all day Monday.

Spanish War Veterans

A number of the militiamen, who are members of the Spanish War Veterans will leave tomorrow evening for Haverhill, where the annual convention of the organization opened today. The Lowell men are going especially to attend what is known as the Snake service, which will start at 12.03 o'clock Monday morning. This will consist of jollifications and according to the program a lively time is in store for those who attend.

Track Meet

The annual grammar school track meet, held under the auspices of the Y M. C. A., will be run off at the South common track at 9.30 o'clock in the morning. The usual list of track and field events will be open for competition by all members of Lowell grammar schools.

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PATRIOTS DAY

It seems to be a fact—though a regrettable one—that as years pass on, special days set aside by the state are being regarded more and more as mere periods of rest from workday tasks, unrelated to the ancient deeds that give them their name and their significance. The people are as patriotic as ever and just as really devoted to the history and the ideals of their government as at any period in its history, but the annual recurrence of state holidays tends to remove from them their glamer, and unfortunately there are scores who, while they know that there will be a holiday on a certain date, cannot give the name of the holiday in question and have but a shadowy notion of what it commemorates.

The holiday which will be officially celebrated on Monday next is one that appeals especially to the young—and all Americans should feel young in dwelling on the facts of the great war of independence. Who is there that has not at some time played "Americans and British" when some convenient yard furnished a miniature Concord and Lexington, and sundry attics supplied the three-cornered hats and the other parts of the respective costumes of 1775? Surely in all the range of childish heroes no characters shine out with brighter attributes of loyalty, courage and transcendant patriotism than do the minutemen of Concord who paid back the soldiers of King George for many indignities suffered patiently, of which the attack on Captain Parker and his brave band on Lexington common was not the least. And where is the equal of Paul Revere, who in the imagination of our young patriots must always mount again to the Boston spire on April 19th, hang out his warning signal and then gallop madly through the surrounding country calling on the farmers to meet the British at Concord.

These things are long past and the echoes of the shot fired by "the embattled farmers" are silent, but the great American Union founded with such grim determination comes down to us unchanged in principle. Darker days than the days of 1775 at Concord and Lexington have come and gone; those who then fought against a common foe afterwards fought among themselves; times came when it was more difficult to tell who were the rebels and who were the enemy. But the flag which waved victoriously on April 19, 1775, has waved victoriously ever since and has not known defeat. We may deserve the accusation of being a nation of traders and merchants, in part, but we are not yet blind to the lessons of Concord and Lexington and we are readily thrilled by a recital of the deeds of those whom we honor on Patriots day.

From 1775 to 1914 seems a long time, but it is very short in the life of a nation. Generations have come and gone and the bones of Paul Revere have long ago crumbled to dust but the old church in Boston still stands as it stood when the warning light flashed out from its belfry, and one can easily recall the revolutionary days in the dreamy calm of Concord and Lexington. Not many years ago it was the custom for the heads of families to gather their children together and drive over the roads in the bracing spring air to the scene of the battles that ended by the retreat of the British to Charlestown neck, but the automobile, the moving picture craze, and possibly a less intense feeling of devotion to things patriotic, have injured this fine old custom, too good to be entirely abandoned. If there were no historic memories connected with the spots so eagerly visited in former years, the natural beauty of the scenery would amply repay a visit, but who is there that does not feel a better American after viewing the ground hallowed by the blood of those who fought for home and country and all things sacred in the glorious days of 1775. Concord visited and revisited should be the centre of a host if memories linked together by each succeeding Patriots day. And on Patriots day let it be remembered that Lowell has a special duty to perform in honoring the proto martyrs of the Civil war, the illustrous Ladd, Whitney and Taylor, who gave their lives on the streets of Baltimore on April 19. The bodies of two of these heroes are interred at Monument square and the memory of their heroism reflects credit on the name of our beloved city.

A PRELIMINARY CLEAN-UP

Now that April 18, 19, and 20 have been set aside as a preliminary to the real clean-up week which will begin on May 2nd, there is no reason why all the citizens of Lowell should not co-operate in removing the source of much civic and private uncleanness and removing also many causes of contagion, incidentally aiding the work of fire prevention. Scarcely a home of the city but has its accumulation of winter rubbish in cellar, alleyway or attic, and no one would be the loser if this rubbish were collected for the next few days and piled up in the ash barrels or even beside them on the sidewalk for the city to remove and to dispose of. The readiness with which people respond to the preliminary invitation will typify the amount of good to be done by the following clean-up campaign, for the city can do absolutely nothing in this respect without the fullest co-operation among the citizens.

Though the greatest necessity for municipal activity in all that relates to cleanliness and general sanitation obtains in the more congested districts, the clean-up call cannot be ignored in any section. Sidewalks, alleys, yards, gardens, trees and shrubs call for attention in the best regulated neighborhoods and even the heart of the business section has many evidences of remediable neglect. There are many advertising signs, for instance, that have outlived their usefulness and that now offend by their rundown appearance. In other places the hose might be played with advantage.

The worst places are those nooks and crannies the care of which does not seem to be anybody's business, but which might easily give rise to diseases that would be everybody's business. Householders and property owners will find a thousand and one things to claim their attention if they set out, as they ought, to do their share in making Lowell a lovelier and a more healthful city. Let us be sure that Lowell is clean before we make any extravagant claims to beauty. The remedy is at hand. Let us avail ourselves of it.

CROWDED STREET CARS

For the first time a bill is before the Massachusetts legislature aiming at the prevention of overcrowding in street cars by making it unlawful for the company to take on more passengers than 50 per cent. over their regular seating capacity. This would still leave room for a mild crush but it would do away with the sardine box conditions which have become a feature of street railway traffic on rainy days and when there is a double header on at the ball park. Indeed, on some lines overcrowding is the usual condition at certain hours daily such as in those evening hours when the workers are returning to their homes. The local officials of the Bay State company are making commendable efforts to remedy this condition, but so flagrant are conditions in some places that the passing of the above-mentioned bill or a similar one is fairly probable.

Though there is a limit to what street cars can comfortably carry and though this limit is frequently overtaxed there are many abuses regarding overcrowding in cars, for which the public is as much to blame as the transportation company. Who does not know the individual that persists in standing in the vestibule whether there are vacant seats or not? Others will stand just within the door, making regrettable conditions still more intolerable by ignoring the "move up front, please" of the conductor and making the life of the last addition to the jammed mass anything but pleasant. The company is confronted with many real problems of importance, but it cannot be blamed for many side issues of overcrowding which are due to the unreasonableness of the public. Nevertheless, the bill now in the legislature would tend to a public relief that is much needed in some quarters.

TAXING BACHELORS

Though the legislative committee on taxation did not dwell very seriously a few days ago on the proposal to tax all bachelors of the state over 35 years of age $5.00 annually, the proposed bill serves to call attention to the apparently growing number of young men who either deliberately choose a single lot in life or else postpone their marriage till long after the taxable age. Probably there is one reason which would apply to all equally, but the fact remains that the financial considerations of marriage are far harder to meet now than they were in the times of our grandfathers. Then, people were apt to regard the marriage day as the end of their times of frivolity; they settled down to save money and lived in the pleasures of their children. At present grandmothers are going to tango dances and there are few up-to-date wives who do not want to attend the theatre continually and who do not look forward to owning a new spring bonnet as eagerly as their unmarried neighbor. But some young men have grown selfish and there are not many of them willing to make the sacrifices that marriage would entail for most. A preacher gave another aspect of the case in a local church recently when he showed that many spend weekly in barrooms and pool rooms more than would establish them in married life, lamenting the while that they are not able to afford marriage. Taxation would not remedy matters but there are many bachelors who richly deserve it.

REGARDING TAX INCREASES

What other cities and other city officials think of increases in the tax rate of their respective communities differs quite considerably from the impression which the members of our present city government strive to give regarding the raise of $2.20 in the Lowell tax limit. Mayor Timothy W. Good of Cambridge who was a shouter for economy comes out in the strongest condemnation of a bill now in the legislature which would entail a raise of $1.33 in the tax rate of that city. He calls such a bill "suicidal," and says that such an increase in the tax rate would "kill" the city, both residentially and as a growing business centre. Evidently the new mayor of Cambridge does not consider a tax increase a necessary foundation for alleged municipal economy. His warning comes too late to be of much benefit to us but it emphasizes the fact that a low rate is one of the most desirable attributes of any city. On the contrary a high tax rate kills enterprise and brands the community bearing it with the stigma of inefficient government. With a tax rate of $22 or over real estate will be a drug on the market; every owner of tenement property will want to sell.

FIRING THE SALUTE

True to his craft and resourcefulnes Huerta now strives to gain time in the Mexican situation by parleying for conditions which this country certainly will not grant. His latest request is that the United States should alternate with Mexico in firing the salute to both flags, thus removing from the Mexican salute the appearance of the apology which this government intends it to be. Huerta evidently counts on the apparent indecision that made America over patient through past insults, but he presumes too far. All indications point to determination on the part of America which has taken the first step in what may lead to armed intervention if the brazen dictator of the south does not abandon his clever subterfuge. Huerta is playing with danger both at home and abroad and the time may not be far distant when he will need Vera Cruz and Tampico as ports of embarkation. Better that he should salute the Stars and Stripes at once than that he face a United States blockade with the rebels under Villa pressing at his heels with a desire to avenge Madero in their hearts.

The news of another apartment house fire in New York, with 11 deaths, following so speedily on the destruction of the Boston Melvin with its death toll of eight, should arouse the authorities in both cities and in all cities to the dangers of modern construction with its veneer and its shoddy and its evasion of building and fire laws.

One would not blame Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald, in view of the provocation he has received, if he launched out with more force against the "two lovely berries moulded on one stem." To blame the past for the faults of the present is an evident temptation to all officials, but fortunately most of them resist it.

Now that the park department is forced to abandon the West Centralville playgrounds, the people of that section will remember "what might have been" had the present government approved of the purchase of the river bank park which would have given the people there, old and young, a permanent park.

The store window displays in the principal Lowell streets make one wonder why some people still insist on going to Boston to make purchases. Not only have we the latest in style at home, but, just as important, we have the lowest in price.

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These are happy days with the Middlesex county commissioners, I am told. All are republicans, but two hold to "settled conditions," and regard the third as a rank outsider, simply because they had nothing to say in the matter of his election. Chairman Gould of the commission recently referred to Mr. Barlow, the Lowell member of the triumverate, as the most persistent office-seeker he had ever known. It is evident that Uncle Levi's classical education didn't include the Odes of Horace, lest he would recall the celebrated lines: "Nosce te ipsum," which in plain United States means, "Know thyself." If Uncle Levi ever gets to know himself he'll become acquainted with a man who for persistency in seeking office has poor Barlow looking like a bush-leaguer. Mr. Gould has been in public life since 1885 and nothing damned, he's going to run again this fall. But, among others, who believe that Mr. Gould having given about half a century of his valuable services to public life should be permitted to spend his declining days in luxurious ease, is one Major Fred P. Barnes of Newton. I don't know at what weight he fights, or whom he ever licked or where he got his title, but he's Major Barnes, and he's a republican born and bred, and not afraid to do battle with Uncle Levi. The progressives undoubtedly will have a candidate in the field again and with more hope than ever before the democrats will present a candidate. At this end of the county Hon. John T. Sparks, of this city is being talked up as the most likely democratic candidate but the popular ex-senator isn't any too favorably impressed with the idea at this writing. When actively in politics John T. had them all beaten as a vote-getter. In the other end of the county, the democrats are talking up Senator Charles F. McCarthy of Marlboro. Senator McCarthy is at present serving his third term in the senate after five years in the house. While in the house a few years ago he collaborated with Erson B. Barlow on the latter's famous corporation franchise tax-bill which eventually became law. It would seem that fate had a hand in the naming of the venerable county commissioner, for "Levi" of the new testament was a publican or tax-gatherer, or in other words an office-holder.

Ambulance Service

Just because the new pulmotor didn't answer the purpose for which it was invented upon the occasion of its first application in this city is no evidence that it is a worthless thing. Perhaps it was not applied until the victim of the accident was beyond human aid, as is often the case at the hospitals where people are brought while breathing their last with the expectation that the hospital authorities can perform miracles. But the pulmotor will never be of any great benefit to the community unless there is somebody around who can use it when it is needed. The Sun recently stated that City Physician Tighe had instructed the ambulance physicians in its use and since then it has been suggested to me that the city physician instruct the ambulance drivers in the use of the pulmotor, inasmuch as the drivers appear to be the surgeons in a majority of cases. Of course the pay of an ambulance surgeon is not such as to warrant him giving his entire time to the job, but with two such faithful men as Dr. Ricker and Dr. Pat Sullivan on the ambulance in days gone by, much is expected of their successors.

Society Feels Snubbed

I am informed that Tango Officer Clark was conspicuous by his absence at the dance in the armory a few evenings ago. To be sure the dance was not held back to await his coming nor were there any pronounced evidences of regret at his non-appearance. Society is disposed to be charitable and will overlook, this time, the snub offered it by the officer. But he should have been there for the dancing of Miss Cheney and Mr. Horr would have been a revelation and an education to him. Having seen the new dances properly executed he could pick out the improper ones more readily in the future. Probably he was peeved because he didn't get an invitation but when dances have been held at Associate, Lincoln or Runels' halls he didn't wait for an invitation, but was always a feature of the merry occasions. It's hardly fair for officer Clark to snub the society dances. Can he have so soon forgotten the slogan of the head of his department: "Equal rights to all; special privileges to none?" Society dancers are as much entitled to the charm of his presence as are those of humbler station. I understand that Officer Clark is much pleased with his assistant "Chief" Cooney, on the ground that the "chief" is of more graceful lines than Officer Swanwick and would make a better partner should occasion require them to give a public exhibition. "Chief" Cooney, by the way, is Officer Al. Cooney. "Chief" is simply a nickname given him by Belvidere friends, and does not imply that the officer has any aspirations toward the "Big Chief's" job.

The Sealer's Position

Warren Riordan has been kept busy all week receiving congratulations from his friends on his election as sealer of weights and measures while Assistant Sealer Nestor has been kept equally busy receiving the condolences of his friends together with expressions of sympathy from men who previously have not the pleasure of his acquaintance but who believe that the position, from a moral standpoint belonged to him. The civil service commission has informed the city of Lowell that the position does not come under the civil service law and hence the election of Mr. Riordan was all right from a legal standpoint. But it doesn't seem to fit under the "Equal rights for all; special privileges for none" unwritten law of this administration. One would imagine that a man who had served some eight years faithfully and competently as a first assistant should be promoted to fill the place left vacant by the death of the chief and the new and inexperienced man placed in the lower position and allowed to work up. Here's the funny part of the thing: If the municipal council had elected Mr. Nestor head of the department Mr. Riordan would be ineligible for the appointment as assistant, unless his name was on the civil service list. But while ineligible to hold the smaller job he is eligible to the greater, and Mr. Nestor, who was obliged to pass a civil service examination before he could get the job at all, after having passed and then added the experience of several years' steady work to his knowledge of the requirments of this particular department finds himself barred by another unwritten law popularly expressed in the words: "To the victors belong the spoils." In Washington a distinguished statesman once remarked: "What's the constitution among friends." By the same token, where do experience and faithful service fit in political jobs?

Paul Hannagan Street Builder

Somebody in Lawrence once told me the following yarn about Paul Hannagan, the popular street commissioner of that burg: Paul was at a dinner and had been consuming oysters, soup entrees and roasts with all the vim of a man blessed with a good appetite and an easy conscience when the waiter approached him and said: "What would you like for dessert, Mr. Hannagan?" "Dessert? Oh, yes," said Paul, "bring me some corned beef and cabbage, please." Now this may not be true. It may be possible that Paul called for pig's head, or spare ribs, instead of corned beef or it may be that it never happened at all, but however, it is illustrative of Paul's career. After hustling for many years on jobs that have paid comparatively modest wages, along comes Mayor Curley from Boston at this late day, offering him a $5000 per year berth. If Paul decides to take the job, I, for one will gamble that he'll make good. But what strikes us queer here in Lowell are the stories that have been published about the street work in Lawrence and Mayor Curley's delight upon inspecting the block paving of that city. One would imagine that Lawrence was the only city in New England to use block paving with a cement base and concrete filling. Lowell has been using the same kind of paving for many moons, and with due respect to the Lawrence street builders, it did not originate with Paul Hannagan, Phil Holland, Chester Hudson, Billy White or even John Sheehan. Had we known that Mayor Curley wanted to learn something about street paving we could have invited him to Lowell where we have humble street department foremen who can teach our down-river neighbors the art of building streets. For instance, there's old John Bowers, but why enumerate them. Curley might come up and get them away from us and then Lowell would be the loser.

While Mr. Hannagan is not the originator of the smooth block paving scheme he is both an inventor and a discoverer. He invented the Hannagan gutter plow, the Hannagan catch-basin and the Hannagan tip-cart while he discovered Ballardvale Lithia water and evidences of prehistoric lakes in the vicinity of Den Rock, at Lawrence.

That reminds me, Phil Holland was in town a day or so ago and called upon Commissioner Morse. Phil, it is understood, wanted to sell some paving blocks to the city, but Charlie is not in the market at the present time.

Putnam Slated to Remain

From all accounts the flurry relative to the discontinuance of the services of Supt. of Streets Putnam has blown over and Newell will continue to hold down the job. Supt. Putnam, it is said, had a champion in a well known physician who, it is said, has succeeded in convincing some of the members of the municipal council that he should be retained.

New Faces in Health Dept.

If new brooms continue to sweep clean the health department stables should look spick and span these days, as a couple of changes have been made there recently. Ex-Alderman Jas. J. Flanagan, a leading figure in the recent municipal campaign and subsequently mentioned for the positions of private secretary to the mayor, and purchasing agent, like the prospective minister to Dahomey, in Hoyt's celebrated satire, is at last permanently placed as an employe of health department stable while Andrew Welch, another ardent supporter of the mayor, is reported to have accepted a position at the Broadway institution. All members of the health department are still working under their old pay schedule as the promised advance could not be made, owing to the city's present financial condition.

The Edson School Principalship

The Edson school is still without a principal because Dr. Lambert and Mr. Simpson cannot find a candidate to their particular liking. When the matter was first considered these two members asked for more time to consider "the qualifications of the candidates" and as time has gone by there is considerable speculation and not a little suspicion as to the particular "qualification" that they desire. There are two candidates in the field, Hon. John F. Meehan, an A. M. and a native of Lowell, and Christopher J. Hagan, also possessed of the necessary educational qualifications, a native of Lowell and with a record of one year's excellent work while acting principal at the same school in which the vacancy now exists. In the good old days when the late Marcellus Fletcher was with us, he knew the name, address and political affiliation of every voter in Lowell and in picking them out from the check-lists at headquarters, in addition to his "John Smith, democrat, John Jones, republican" he had a third designation which he applied to certain voters who were partisans with one reservation. Some people are wondering if any of the members of the present school board come under that third designation.

Vocalists at City Hall

An out-of-town friend recently called my attention to the fact that Lowell's city hall is particularly well-fixed for vocalists, if it does not burn up the carpets with its oratory. He's right, too, and we are particularly strong on baritones for where is there a combination to excell Commissioner Donnelly, Building Inspector Frank Connor, City Auditor Paige and Clerk Bruce of the supply department. I have been informed also that Commissioner Brown has taken to singing and not long since was heard warbling "The Rosary" in a manner that would make Schumann-Heinke herself sit up and take notice. (I suppose you thought I was going to say "cyanide." Not so.) As "The Rosary" is one of my favorites I would have paid good money for a ring-side seat to hear the commissioner sing it. But speaking of singers at city hall, the variety of voices may be added to next year for the friends of John J. Dalton, Lowell's matchless tenor are grooming him as a candidate for commissioner next fall. Of course election times are a long ways off but there is nothing like an early start.

A Good City Job

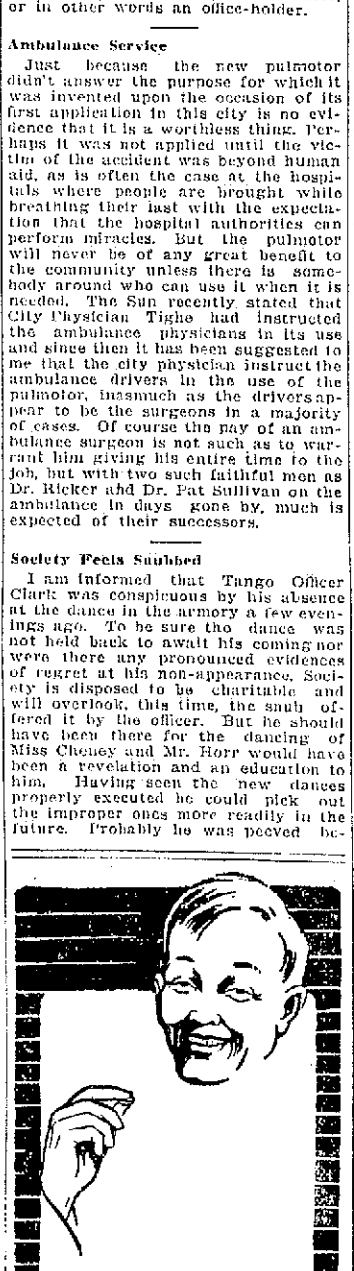
While at lunch in a down town restaurant yesterday, I overheard the following:

"I see ——— ——— has landed a good city job."

"What doing?"

"Floor-walker at the cemetery."

THE SPELLBINDER.



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EDITORIAL COMMENT

THE GUNMEN

Newport News: One of the witnesses in the gunmen case who testified before Justice Goff last Saturday has already acknowledged himself a perjurer and confessed that he knew nothing of the shooting. His testimony—if corroborated, would have sent several innocent men to the electric chair, as well as saved the condemned criminals. He may be held as a witness in the retrial of Police Lieut. Becker for complicity in the shooting of Rosenthal.

NOT ALWAYS PATIENT

Portland Express: Anyway, we have found out how to arouse the president's anger. Just do something to the flag and his policy of "watchful waiting" gives way to "a rigid firmness and fixed determination not to temporize."

OWNERS AND DRIVERS

New Bedford Standard: The attempt to hold the owner of an automobile responsible for any injury caused by his car, regardless of who is operating it at the time of the accident, or whether or not he is in the car, or whether or not it was operated by his permission, is so obviously beyond the line of justice and right, that it is not at all surprising that the supreme court of the United States has pronounced unconstitutional the law of Michigan, that held automobile owners liable to this extent.

EXEMPTION AND SUBSIDY

Fall River News: Whether or not Secretary Bryan explains in a satisfactory way how it happened that the Baltimore platform had a plank in favor of tolls exemption, he shows that the plank against ship subsidies was there and that that plank was in full accord with ancient democratic doctrine. It follows that President Wilson could not shape his policy according to both planks. They were radically inconsistent with one another. The president could not stand on both. One had to be ignored and he chose to disregard that one which was obnoxious to the treaty agreement.

AMERICAN CULTURE

Lynn Item: Anybody who has noticed the coming of English professors to this country in recent years will recognize that in coming to Princeton Alfred Noyes but follows the tide which is setting irresistibly in this direction. Culture may be little understood in the United States but we do pay living salaries to the men who can deliver the goods in almost any line.

THE DANGER

Burlington Free Press: President Wilson has caused it to be known that he will not act without authorization by congress, but it is possible for the administration to push matters so far as to prevent our nation from retiring with dignity without resorting to hostilities. That is the chief danger which confronts the United States at the present time.

A good steel rake for 39 cents at the Thompson Hardware Co.

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LOW SHOES $1.95

That sold for $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00.

Every small lot of low shoes in our stock has been brought together and marked to sell for this absurdly low price. We include Gun Metal, Patent Leathers and Tans, all of the small lots that sold up to $4, now in one group for....$1.95

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Soft Hats for young men—blues, browns, greens and pearl.....$1.50 to $3.00

SMART DERBIES

from the best Union Shops in America—every new shape—in all proportions for man and young man.....$1.50 to $3.50

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of the unusual kind—patterns and colorings that are not shown elsewhere—French silks of elegance—Foulards in Oriental designs, crinkled silk crepes in twenty colorings—large scarfs, cut on most generous patterns.....50c to $1.50

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ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS

"Chic" Cargo is in shape for another campaign he rises to remark. "Buster," the well known bulldog of Chic, is also in fine condition. Cargo's dog is as well remembered as is "Chic" himself in New England league circles.

The two games Monday ought to attract a mid-season crowd if the weather holds on as it is today. With two such clubs as Toronto (International league) and New London (Eastern association) as contestants, there is sure to be some real baseball

Tommy Daly was once more in the lineup of the White Sox yesterday and came through with a timely single. Daly is making good with a vengeance although Callahan hasn't decided yet where he will place him. He is bigger than last year, having gained 18 pounds in his tour around the world.

Jim Swetonick, the star twirler whom Louis Pieper discovered late last season, has finally put in an appearance in Lawrence. The down river speed merchant allowed that he was going to quit professional ball because his parents did not want him to leave home. However, —he's joined Pieper's squad.

Eddie Berard, mascot of the Lowell club for so long that a game without Edward's presence would seem amiss, can play this spring with many of the men applying for league positions. It won't be long now ere Eddie sets up for himself in the baseball business. He warmed up all of the pitchers yesterday and grabbed everything in their respective repertoires.

Burke and Wacob work like a machine together. With a man on third yesterday and a man on first Wacob shot the ball to his old teammate when the baserunner on first attempted a steal. Burke played the throw just right—he could have got the man at second if the runner on third hadn't made the mistake of thinking there was a chance for a run. The big Californian had him a yard at the plate.

Wacob has one of the chief duties of a backstop down to a science that of blocking off a runner attempting to score. Yesterday he stood at the plate with a man tearing in from third. The throw was a bad one and the best Wacob could do was knock it down. Without changing the position of his feet, however, he picked up the ball and tagged out the runner while the latter was vainly trying to reach the plate.

The champion of the lightweight division came through last night in the predicted manner and Harlem Tommy Murphy received the worst lacing of his somewhat lengthy career. The latter's gameness and ability to take punishment, however, won him the plaudits of the crowd. The beating received by Murphy last night will do him no good and will shorten his ring days appreciably.

After all of his scissors work Patsy Flaherty still has 45 candidates out in uniform for his Lynn club. One report said that Flaherty's first roster carried seventy-four names. Out of this small army the Lynn manager is reported to have picked out one good infielder, named Gillespie. If this be true how many candidates must Flaherty have to pick out a club?

Joe Birmingham, manager of the Cleveland club, will be out of baseball for the rest of the season it is thought and if this be the case the Naps might just as well give up all hopes that ever existed for a pennant-chasing club. Birmingham has been pursued by a jinx for the past two years but his recent injury is the worst that has ever overtaken him.

The Red Sox do not look near as well this season as they did a year ago. It was a few weeks later in the season that accidents began to occur in their camp. Scott at short is a youngster and, although giving promise of great things, does not know the game as yet. Engle is too short for a first baseman while Collins is practically the only first class pitcher working at present. No one can ever say a word derogatory to that Red Sox outfielder, however.

The Oxford relay team which has been training on the Harvard stadium track, left a big impression on the minds of those who watched them perform. Norman Tabor, the former Brown distance champ but who is now studying at the English university, is a member of the quartet but is not considered the classiest by any means. The American college relay which defeats these four men will have to travel right along.

Here's another pretty good little joke: Reports from the Red Sox headquarters read something like this, "Tim Murnane (lest you forget, Timothy is president of the New England league) has been appointed official American league scorer. Murnane didn't want the job but took it when pressed." Oh, no, of course Murnane didn't want the job. It will probably be the first soft money that he ever made out of baseball.

The mention of the New London club gives material for another thought. Experts along the Eastern association circuit are already picking the New London club as the pennant winner in that organization. Pat Martin, last year the star flinger of the Lawrence club, is only one of several first class pitchers who have been signed up by the new owner. The rest of his team is considered just as classy as his box staff. If all these things are true New London will be the team that plays the winner of the New England league. And if our hopes come true Lowell will and the flag in the "little old league." Therefore, if both "ifs" should materialize we will see New London here in the fall.

JOHNSON, BASEBALL'S FIGHTING MAN, HAS TO ADMIT HIS FIRST DEFEAT

BAN JOHNSON

Ban Johnson, president of the American league and member of the national baseball commission, has had to admit defeat for the first time in his notable career in the business affairs of the green diamond game. Johnson was in charge of the war bureau formed to prevent the Federal league from coming into existence. But the Federals has "arrived" and are now cutting heavily into the patronage and profits of the two older organizations, whose last resort now is the courts. It is the irony of fate that Johnson who forced the American league into existence in opposition to the National organization, should now be one of the chief losers through the success of the Federals.

9 INNING GAME

Played Between Regulars and Yannigans — Six Pitchers Used

Yesterday's workout at Spaulding Park was the most thorough of any that Manager Gray has been able to give his men this week. With the exception of Lohman, Dee and Simmons all of the players who have reported thus far were in uniform.

A full nine inning game was played between two picked up teams composed of what Gray now considers his first lineup and the Yannigans. The Regulars won out by the score of 7 to 3.

Six pitchers were used for three innings apiece. Shenk, Temple and Heir did the heaving for the Regulars while Weaver, Maybohm and Banks worked for the Yannigans. Shenk showed more advanced form than the other pitchers and used a "hook" to good advantage while the others simply sent up straight ones.

The first string lineup found Wacob behind the plate, Kelley at first, Burke at second, Speraw at short and Carr on the hot corner. Potteiger was the only outfielder and was located in the middle garden.

Burke, Wacob, Shenk and Kelley did the bulk of the batting although hitting was free at all times. In one inning the Regulars made their three putouts at the plate, Burke and Wacob being the players to figure in some classy infield baseball.

"PETE" WACOB
Sensational Backstop Who Was With Wichita Kan. Club Last Year.

"DUTCH" POTTEIGER,
Classy Outfielder Who Is Practically Certain of Berth With Lowell Club

Fans Present

Quite a large crowd of fans were present in the first base bleachers yesterday to watch the candidates' workout and although there was no particular significance attached to the game rooting was frequent at various intervals.

Signs of life from the spectators were particularly apparent when the umpire made several questionable decisions. The conclusion of the fans after the workout seemed to be that Lowell would once more be represented by a pennant contender.

Carr Looking Better

Carr, the youngster trying out for third base, looks better every day that he works out. On his arrival here Monday he didn't show many signs of Class B baseball but he has improved with each subsequent practice. His pegging and all-around work about the third station yesterday was as good as can be asked for at this stage of the season.

Potteiger's Injury

Potteiger, the star performer in the outfield, whom Jimmy Gray is pinning his faith to as a regular this season, thinks that he will be able to go through this year's season without any trouble from his bad ankle. Potteiger broke his left ankle last year and played but little.

His work thus far, however, has not bothered him at all and he is confident that he will not experience any more trouble with it. The Dutchman's fielding yesterday was a pleasure to watch.

WITH THE PADDED MITTS

The welter-weight affair at the North Abington club last night has rather a rank aroma up this way. Mike Glover and Hayward Briggs were the two principals in the main bout and Michael hammered Briggs in great style. Both men are under the same management which doesn't listen very well. I believe we have seen glove events (some time ago) right here in Lowell that have been arranged in the same manner.

Mickey Brown, the much tooted lad from Malden who made quite a lot of talk about being the best boy of his weight in New England, took a trip to New York when Gardner Brooks the local 115 pounder, began to make war-talk. Brown was a wise chap when he erased himself from this immediate vicinity. He would have a long, hard row to hoe in the same ring, on the same night with Brooks.

Alger and Young fought a fast draw before the Lewiston club last night in their two six-rounders. The semi-windup to this bout was one between Sheppard and Lenney which resulted in a draw. Lenney did very well in consideration of the pounding Phinney Boyle gave him the other night.

Matchmaker McGann has arranged quite a bill for his all star performance next Thursday. Eddie Kelley, sparring partner of Johnnie Dundee, will meet Frankie Mack, once managed by Jimmy Gardner, and the other two ten round bouts are equally as good. McGann's club will be the only large one in existence in this vicinity before long, in all probability.

Gardner Brooks meets Tony Lorenzo next Monday night in the semi-windup at the Cambridge club. Lorenzo boxed a draw with Billy Brooks a few weeks ago and should be easy picking for Billy's older brother.

Mickey Brown will enter the ring of a New York athletic club tonight for a ten round contest with Young Fox of England. The English boxer is tooted as a hard hitter but Brown's cleverness may serve him in good stead.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending April 18, 1914, From City Clerk's Office—Causes Assigned

April
6 David Sheehan, 55, suicide.
10 Charles Lemieux, 43, pneumonia.
James Scott, 63, cerebro hemorrhage
11 Thomas Proctor, 29, drowning.
Rhoda Wood, 85, arterio-sclerosis
Lucinda H. D. Hanson, 73, cancer of stomach.
Etta F. Knowlton, 58, surgical shock.
Alice Duprez, 21 days, convulsions.
Marie L. A. Vendette, 13 days, congenital debility.
12 Hattie Ferguson, 2 days, dystocia.
William L. Coultier, 3 m, infantile convulsions.
John F. Curry 39, pellagra
13 Louis Levasseur, 51, accidental suffocation.
J Dwight Runnells, 66, cancer of intestines.
Alphonsine Archambault, 61, Cer. embolism.
George A. Cluff, 58, Cer. hemorrhage
Octave Gendreau, 62, accident.
14 Margaret Boyle, 60, Cer. softening
James M. Harding, 60, Ac. nephritis
John J Robbins, 70, asthma.
15 Laurette Morin, 2, pneumonia.
Marie Durand, 1, pneumonia.
John Donlon, 69, arterio-sclerosis.
Marie B. Alliette, 1, Cer. meningitis.
Arthur Marion, 11 m., pneumonia.
Marie J. Drouin, 10 m., bronchitis.
16 Andrew McQuade, 45, Uraemia.
Agnes Mason, 68, myocarditis.
Marie J Decelles, 2, pneumonia.
17 Margaret A. Rayball, 1, gastro-enteritis.
Emelie B. Allard, 83, disease of the heart.
Marie B. C. Martel, 1 m., congenital debility.
14 Nils Olsen, 49, phthisis pulmonalis.
15 Thomas Horan, 29, tuberculosis.
Margaret Grey, 80, senile debility.
Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

COCKRAN TO AID BECKER

NOTED ORATOR EXPECTED TO SUM UP FOR DEFENSE IN SECOND TRIAL FOR MURDER

NEW YORK, April 18.—Karl Dresner told Dist. Atty. Whitman yesterday the name of the man who he says paid him to be an 11th hour witness for the four gunmen slayers of the gambler Herman Rosenthal, before Supreme Court Justice Goff last Saturday.

Detectives from the prosecutor's office were sent out last night to find the man named by Dresner, who is in the Tombs as a self-confessed perjurer because of the testimony he gave in the final effort of the gunmen to obtain a new trial

According to reported statements by Mr. Whitman, the agreed price for Dresner's story was $100, but that Dresner declares he got only $12.

In defense of Charles Becker at his second trial next month, W. Bourke Cockran, ex-congressman, will be included among his attorneys, it was announced yesterday. Mr. Cockran is expected to sum up the former police lieutenant's case to the jury. He is the law partner of Martin T. Manton, Becker's new counsel.

TAFT FAMILY POLITICS

HELEN JOINS SUFFRAGISTS AND MOTHER DECLARES FOR THE ANTIS

HARTFORD, Conn., April 18.—Word was received yesterday by the Connecticut Woman Suffrage association that the latest recruit to the cause is Miss Helen Taft, who is a student at Bryn Mawr and whose mother, Mrs. William H. Taft, last week declared her allegiance to the Connecticut association opposed to suffrage.

The president of the Connecticut suffragists, Mrs. Thomas N. Hepburn, who recently drew a bitter analogy between the ex-president's attitude on the big political problems of the country and his wife's old-fashioned standpat notions of women's rights, made the following comment: "This action of mother and daughter is significant of the difference between the past and the present generations."

MOTOR BUSS CARS

Continued

up-to-date in every respect and while the horse power will be rated at 30 the engines will be capable of developing 35 horse power.

"The cars will be patterned after the semi-convertible electrics; windows down in fair weather and closed in bad weather. It would be cheaper perhaps to use hard tires, but hard tires don't ride very comfortably and I have decided to use dual pneumatic tires on the hind wheels. The cars will be upholstered in leather and I can't imagine anything more delightful than a nice ride on the state road along the beautiful Merrimack river between this city and Lawrence. If that ride in the best automobile in the land isn't worth 15 cents I would like to know it. The cars will be equipped with electric lights and will be self starting. It will not be necessary to employ a conductor as the passengers will pay as they enter. The door will be on the right side, near the front, and passengers can step from the sidewalk to the car.

"I feel very positive that the investment will be a profitable one and after I get started I will put on as many cars as the travel demands. There are motor-buss lines running between Peabody and Salem and I think between Gloucester and Salem, taking in the Beverleys. If the line between here and Lawrence proves as successful as I think it will, I will start other lines to other points. I appreciate the fact that 15 cents is cheap for rapid transportation between Lowell and Lawrence, but I figure that I can make a good profit at that price."

AMOS P. BEST

Public Demand for Line

Asked how he happened to think about the motor-buss line, Mr. Best said: "I had heard so many complaints about the service between Lowell and Lawrence that I thought a motor-buss line would surely pay and when anything looks good to me I want to go through with it. My lease at Willow Dale expires May 1 and in view of the fact that I am no longer in the milk business I decided that I could make a success of the buss line because I can give it my undivided attention. There is a bill now before the legislature for double tracks between Lowell and Lawrence, but perhaps after I get fairly started there won't be any necessity for a double track.

Other Delightful Drives

"If there is any place in the country where a motor-buss line should pay I think it is between here and Lawrence. Strangers riding on electrics between the two cities fairly rave over the river and the beautiful scenery. There are other beautiful rides about Lowell and I think perhaps it would pay to have a car or two making trips to different points just for pleasure and observation. I do not want to be too optimistic but I tell you there is a future right here in Lowell for motor-buss cars and don't you forget it."

OUR FUTURITY

List of Local Births Reported During the Past Week

The following births have been recorded at City Clerk Flynn's office during the past week:

To Mr. and Mrs. David Howarth of April 9—To Mr. and Mrs. David Howarth of 142 Grand street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Gerry of 7 Richardson avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Lang of 110 High street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Corcoran of 51 Ellis court, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hall of 74 Inland street, a daughter.

April 10—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holmes of 263 West Sixth street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick H. Brown of 980 Varnum avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar H. Douglas of 94 Princeton street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lahue of 450 Hildreth street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Ferguson of 931 Lakeview avenue, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs Karolin Baran of 170 Church street, a daughter; to Mr and Mrs. James Perry of 15 Mill street, a daughter.

April 11—To Mr. and Mrs. M. Ducharme of 956 Middlesex street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sharkey of 229 Perry street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Wyman of 28 Billerica street, a daughter.

April 12—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lelendre of 695 Middlesex street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John Young of 154 Barker avenue, a son.

April 13—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Jenkins of 10 Cambridge place, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Carr of New York city, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Ara Ruiter of 22 Fremont street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Guyer of 2 East Burnside avenue, a daughter.

April 14—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith of 32 Morton street, a daughter.

April 15—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Boland of 55 George street, a daughter.

April 16—To Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Flora of rear 201 Gorham street, a son

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

B.A.A. MARATHON

Arrangements Completed for Big Event on Monday

BOSTON, April 18.—Aspirants for Marathon honors in the Boston Athletic club's 17th renewal of the famous classic had their last workouts today, although none of them went the whole 25 miles on account of the warm weather. Unless rain interferes the runners will find the very best footing, for the roads are in grand shape from the start in Ashland to the finish in this city.

The entry list was held open today for belated athletes, although those who show signs of being out of condition may find a physician's veto when they line up for the start.

Much of the interest centers in the Scandinavian trio from Minneapolis headed by Fritz Carlson, who won last year in fast time. His companions in the run this year will be John Karlsen and Lloyd Peterson.

Practically the entire field will be in the vicinity of the course by tonight and tomorrow will be one of complete rest in order to conserve every ounce of strength for Monday.

The race will start at noon and the leaders are expected at the finish two hours and a half later. The record for the course is two hours, 21 minutes, 18 1-5 seconds, made by Michael J. Ryan of the Irish American Athletic club in 1912.

Much interest is being evinced in the showing of James J. Duffy of Hamilton, Ontario. Duffy, who is the fastest long distance runner ever developed in Canada, will reach Boston tomorrow, accompanied by "Bobby" Kerr, the Olympic champion sprinter.

RITCHIE REAL CHAMP

SAY SPORTING WRITERS WHO SAW HIM DEFEAT TOMMY MURPHY

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—There was no dispute today among the sporting writers and ringside experts that Willie Ritchie holds rightfully his title of lightweight champion of the world. His defeat last night of "Harlem Tommy" Murphy of New York at the end of 20 rounds in one of the most trying fights any champion has ever weathered was conclusive. Ritchie won all the way and from every angle.

At the same time Murphy, who never has been a boxer to win much applause in a short distance bout, displayed again that he is an indomitable fighter, never flinching under punishment and always ready to come back for more.

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LEAGUE STANDING

American League

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	3	0	1.000
New York	2	0	1.000
Washington	2	1	.667
Detroit	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Boston	1	2	.333
Philadelphia	0	2	.000
Cleveland	0	3	.000

National League

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Brooklyn	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	2	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	2	1	.667
Cincinnati	1	1	.500
Chicago	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	2	.333
Boston	0	2	.000
New York	0	2	.000

GAMES MONDAY

At Lowell (exhibition).
Morning 10.15—Toronto (International) vs. Lowell.
Afternoon, 2.30—New London (Eastern association) vs. Lowell.

American League

Philadelphia at Boston (2 games).
Washington at New York.
Cleveland at Detroit.
St. Louis at Chicago.

Sunday Games

Cleveland at Detroit.
St. Louis at Chicago.

National League

Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Brooklyn.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

Sunday Games

Chicago at St. Louis.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

LEAGUE STANDING

American League

	R.	H.	E.	Attee.
Washington	1	7	0	5,097
Boston	0	2	3	5,037
New York	4	7	2	6,000
Philadelphia	0	3	0	
Chicago	6	11	2	8,700
Cleveland	5	8	3	
St. Louis	2	7	0	
Detroit	1	6	2	2,100

National League

	R.	H.	E.	Attee.
Brooklyn	5	11	0	6,000
Boston	0	5	3	
Philadelphia	3	8	1	6,500
New York	1	5	2	
Pittsburgh	2	6	2	
St. Louis	0	4	1	1,000
Chicago	6	6	1	
Cincinnati	5	9	2	6,500

C.Y.M.L.

All members of the C. Y. M. L. are requested to attend a memorial mass, for deceased members to be celebrated in St. Patrick's church Monday, April 20th at 8.45.

JOHN FLANNERY, Sec.

BASEBALL
AT SPAULDING PARK
MONDAY A. M.
LOWELL vs. TORONTO
Game Called at 10.15
MONDAY P. M.
LOWELL vs. NEW LONDON
Game Called at 2.30

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Ripolin Enamel (imported), ½ pt. .50
Harrison's Oil Stains, r. s., qt. .50
Interior Finish Flat, qt. .50
Furniture Varnish, qt. .50
Cement Floor Coating, qt. .65
Bull Dog Paint Remover, qt. .70
Copper Boat Paint, qt. .70
Carriage Paint, qt. .75
Interior Preservative, qt. .75
Coburn's Floor Finish, qt. .80
Yacht White, for boats, qt. .95
P. G. Enamel, for boilers, gal. 1.05
Harrison's Barn Paint, gal. 1.00
Coburn's Spar Varnish, qt. 1.23
Harrison's Clearlac, gal. 1.25
Harrison's Roof Paint, gal. 1.25
Harrison's Wagon Paint, gal. 1.60
Driwal Coating, gal. 1.65
Dixon's Graphite Paint, gal. 1.75
Rice's Mill White, gal. 2.00
Antoxide, for iron, gal. 2.10
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THEY DO SAY

That the open cars are with us again.

That Joe Wood is a bear for work.

That the Lowell Greek population is rapidly increasing.

That Buck Sharkey would look good to the Lowell fans this season.

That Blanche didn't wear her white stockings since that rainy night.

That people with claims against the city are besieging city hall.

That a Highlands young lady was giving away eggs last Saturday night.

That A. T. thought that Durant street was located in Dracut Centre.

That when boys scramble for pennies every little movement has a meaning all its own.

That while a great deal is being said about economy the only place to find it is in the dictionary.

That city teamsters who delight in blocking electric cars should be given a lay-off.

That everything would be all right if we would spend a little less than we earn.

That the Bachelor club made a great hit with their comedy "The Benedicts," last night.

That the A. G. Pollard clerks held one of the prettiest post-Lenten parties of the season this week.

That the Y. M. C. A. bowlers gathered last night for the last time this year.

That Huerta has the consolation of having stirred up a hornet's nest without getting stung.

That the janitors' banquet at the American House Tuesday night will be some event.

That one of the Bloomer girls says the English sparrows are a lot of little ingrates.

That birds of a feather don't always flock together. Witness the sparrow and the dove.

That the girl with the flounces was the centre of attraction in Merrimack square.

That a girl at city hall refused to tell how long she had been employed there.

That Court Officer Burns and "Billy" Rourke pulled off a pretty good wrestling match the other day.

That the fellow who spends $3 a week on baseball pools is reducing his salary or wages just that much.

That Arthur Giroux caused many surprises Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

That the Shawlights will have some time at their dancing party on Thursday night.

That the girls are all jealous of Delphine since she purchased that Parisian creation.

That Henry Carr came all the way from New York to attend that whist party Tuesday night.

That Long Bill, the Westford street car conductor, is going to buy a rule book and learn how to play cribbage.

That a young loomfixer employed at the U. S. Bunting Co. will join the benedicts soon.

That there's one less boxer in town, while the mystery of the lunch cart is still unsolved.

That Phinney Boyle and Gardner Brooks are the two coming mitt artists of Lowell.

That the dressmakers are working overtime on creations for the coming party in aid of St. John's hospital.

That everybody with a new auto will make the trip to Concord and Lexington on Monday.

That John A. Quinn is a young man foremost in many a worthy undertaking.

That the Mass. K. of C. dinner at the Copley-Plaza tonight will be a brilliant affair.

That Rev. Dr. Keleher gave President Carey of the M. T. I. a pretty compliment the other evening.

That Pres. Daniel F. Reilly of Div. 8, A. O. H., says the banquet of the division next week will be a fine affair.

That Andrew Welch was the right man for the reception committee at the Mathew ball.

That it's no cinch to be mayor of New York when they'll try to hustle you into eternity.

That a few loads of cinders on the Maple street sidewalk may avoid many law suits against the city.

That the party of St. Margaret's parish to be held Monday evening, will be a very enjoyable social affair.

That the Pawtucketville girl was sorry it didn't rain Easter Sunday because she wanted to use her new umbrella.

That Charles Lirette, the 69-year-old trapper would make a valuable member for the Lowell Fish and Game association.

That St. Joseph's college alumni scored a tremendous success with its recent dramatic entertainment for the benefit of St. Jean Baptiste church.

That the Centralville young lady who was in the habit of saying "Now listen" has changed and at present says "Look now."

That if Henry Carr could see the boys playing ball in the streets of lower Belvidere he would turn his attention to that section of the city.

That Building Inspector Frank Connor can sing a lullaby fully as well as he can warble "The River Shannon" or any of his many song hits.

That the row in Commissioner Morse's office Thursday morning penetrated to the school department office on the next floor.

That a Belvidere liquor dealer closed his place of business for a couple of hours on Good Friday afternoon, and went to church. Strange, but absolutely true.

That Jimmie "Gallagher" Shea is still receiving compliments on his fine blood and Ayer window displays. James, like the goods he has been exploiting, was also "made in Lowell."

That those whose circumstances didn't permit new finery for Easter are quietly laughing at those who are still waiting for an opportunity to don theirs.

That a certain young lady enjoyed [illegible] last Sunday night despite the fact that the wind was blowing at the rate of about eighty miles an hour.

That Congressman Rogers tripping the light fantastic at the Mathew ball, reminds one that that is the way ex-Mayor Fitzgerald made such a success of politics at the Hub.

That Lowell fans at the opening game in Boston allow that the irrepressible John F. Fitzgerald overshadowed the present mayor by many yards.

That many a young man in the good old days threw up good U. S. currency for an apology for a dinner for himself and his fair friend, at Old Concord.

That Congressman Rogers knew that anything he might say about "Fighting Jack" Barry of the American navy would "go big" with any Lowell audience.

That when the letters are being changed on the large electric sign over the Chalifoux store, a large crowd gathers in the vicinity, for the work is very interesting.

That the days when bicycles and all other kinds of vehicles made the pilgrimage to Concord and Lexington on Patriots day are passed. The advent of the electric cars has robbed the trip of much of its romantic interest.

That "Jack" Shea, of the Concord Drug company is exceedingly proud of the receipt of a portrait of himself, enlarged from a snap-shot by a traveling artist. It is certainly a work of art. Insist upon seeing it if you happen in there.

That the new pulmotor while located at the police station will not be used to revive drunks. The old fashioned slap on the sole of the foot is considered equally effective and much cheaper than the application of oxygen.

That Letter-Carrier Dave Martin, during his leisure hours, is preparing a program for the concert of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception church which is to take place next week, and David assures his friends that he will provide a musical feast.

That the report that Henry H. Harris is to be elected superintendent of schools, Arthur K. Whitcomb transferred to the Varnum school and either Hugh J. Molloy, John F. Meehan or Christopher J. Hagan given the two vacant places has leaked through the inner circles in the school board.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

THE OPERA HOUSE

Enthusiastic audiences placed the stamp of approval on the third installment of the "Zingo" series at the Opera House yesterday. "Zingo" is admitted to be one of the strangest characters that has ever appeared upon the screen in this city. His hair-breadth escapes will keep your nerves on edge one minute and the next minute he has you screaming with his funny antics. Such novel scenes and settings, such thrills and humor never before were portrayed, in any photo-play. The story of the third part shows "Zingo" in Asia where he has the most thrilling adventure of his career. He has the audacity to enter the royal harem of the king of Siam and steal the sacred white elephant. Then follows one adventure after another until he finally returns the sacred elephant to the king and after a big reception by royalty and the populace, he is rewarded rich treasures for his noble work. Don't fail to see "Zingo" and the white elephant at the Opera House today, as you will enjoy the story.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A breath from grand opera will be wafted from the stage of the B. F. Keith theatre next week when the Imperial Opera company of 14 excellent singers will give "Great Moments from Grand Opera." This is in reality three of the most noted scenes from three different operas, "Carmen," "Faust" and "Il Trovatore." The collection of singers was brought together for a season in New York city, several of them having completed engagements at South American and American opera houses. But so successful were the singers that, at the expiration of their New York contract, they were immediately re-engaged for a tour of the Keith theatres throughout the east. Mme. Rose Doure, an Italian soprano, who has only recently finished a long engagemnet at the Opera House in Buenos Ayres, Argentina, will be the particular star of the production, singing "Leonora" in "Il Trovatore" and "Marguerite" in Gounod's "Faust." In "Trovatore," the fourth act will be shown, wherein "Leonora" and "Manrico" will sing the beautiful "Miserere," followed by the "Vivra," sung by "Leonora" and the "Count Di Luna." The church scene from "Faust" with the scene between "Marguerite" and "Mephistopheles," will be given, followed by the famous trio from the concluding scene of the opera. "Carmen" offers especial attractions because of the unusual story and through its brilliant trappings. The tavern scene, wherein "Carmen" sings the "Seguidilla" and "Escamillo" the "Toreador's" song will be shown. This will conclude with the famous quintet, "We Have a Plan." The excerpts from the three operas will be shown with complete costume and scenic accessories. The orchestra will be augmented. In view of the recently awakened deep interest in operatic productions, this act should draw large crowds to the theatre throughout the week. It will appeal to many persons who are not rated as vaudeville goers.

"The Lie That Jack Built" is the newest farce comedy sketch from the pen of Georgia Earle, formerly press agent for the Keith enterprises in New York. It hits upon an entirely new idea, that of a jilted woman forcing a bachelor who is about to wed another to construct an elaborate fabric of lies in order to cover up his tracks. He is very ingenious in his work, but that strange intuition which women possess enables her to puncture all of his tales. In the end he marries and goes on his honeymoon, while the former sweetheart then bares her treatment of him, and tells how she has made him show himself in the light of a very wise person, who can be very easily fooled. The cast presenting this comedy consists of Misses Campion and Morrey and Messrs. Spencer and Radcliffe, all of whom have recently appeared in successful Broadway productions.

Arthur Whitelaw, one of the best known of conversational comedians and a rapid fire joker, cannot fail to tickle his audiences. Whitelaw is every whit as well known as is Frank Fogarty, the Dublin minstrel. Whitelaw serves delicious comedy in a perfectly simple manner. In presence he captures an audience from the start. He should prove one of the telling hits of the entire bill.

Lowell and Esther Draw will offer their own conception, "In a Drug Store," which is a mixture of likeable talk and dancing, and Ord Bohanan and Lillian Seville—the latter having appeared here at the opening of the present season—have their own act called "Don't Advertise," which is rich with singing features. Emilie Egoma is a beautiful singing comedienne, and the bill will open with Froebel & Ruge, comedy ladder performers. As usual the Pathe Weekly will be shown.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening the Bachelor Girls, 40 in number, a local singing organization, will give their new 1914 Song Revue, under the direction of James F. Rourke. Their work will prove effective, for the young women have incorporated new features. Other acts will also appear.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"The Only Son," a wonderfully interesting creation from the pen of Winchell Smith, author of "The Fortune Hunter," and other well known successes, will be the presentation by the Merrimack Square Theatre Players for the week commencing Monday, April 20, with a matinee. No better stock production has been given before a Lowell audience in years than next week's offering at the Merrimack Square Theatre. The author has provided a story that grips from the very outset and holds interest until the closing scenes. It is a wholesome story of the great love of a boy for his mother; of a father's love for his son and family; and finally of the love of the parents for their child. The story centres around the Brainerd family. Thomas Brainerd is a New York millionaire, who worked up from the ranks. He enters protests against the son's action in not showing ambition to do something worth while, instead of living in luxury. On top of this he suspects his wife of some trivial matter and the outcome of it all results in his ordering the wife from the house. His daughter stands with him, but the son sides in with the mother and they leave the home together. The latter go west and later when the father makes an endeavor to purchase some wonderful invention from a firm he finds that his son is one of the part owners. The meeting of father and son brings about a reuniting of the family and the curtain goes down on a happy scene. The play has many little sidelights that add to the great enjoyment of the piece, while the touch of humor to it balances well. Walter Scott Weeks and Miss Gladys Malvern will appear to advantage in the leading characters and are sure to again score heavily, while their support from the remaining members of the cast will be in keeping with the high standard of the past. Get your seats for Monday's performances. If you don't, you will miss the best seats.

Sunday's sacred concerts will be given Sunday afternoon and night.

THE OWL THEATRE

"Pauline" was there with the goods at the Owl yesterday, and she narrowly escaped from the deep-dyed villain; he still pursues her; curses! ah! but her noble lover shall always come to the rescue, at least for one year, then the exhibitor doesn't care what becomes of Pauline after that. Are you one of the many trying to win that thousand dollar prize? Well, all you have to do is to guess the riddle of each of these series. "The Mutual Girl," Pathe Weekly, Keystone comedy, all on the same program; five others. Don't miss the big show Sunday, a fine program has been chosen.

THE KASINO

"Kasino standard" means something. If perchance you doubt it, please come to Thorndike hill as the guest of the management, and hear a concert by the Kasino orchestra. From the commodious promenade, you may enjoy many of the melodies, old and new, and then if you wish to dance you may glide o'er the smoothest surface in Massachusetts. Dancing sessions are held every night and on Saturday afternoon.

GALLIVAN TAKES OATH

AS CONGRESSMAN FROM 12TH DISTRICT—ARRIVED TOO LATE TO GET HIS SEEDS

WASHINGTON, April 18.—A congressman expects to begin having trouble soon after he takes the oath of office, but Congressman-elect James A. Gallivan of Boston has struck it already, all on account of the famous annual free distribution of seed by the government.

Just before he resigned his seat in the house Mayor Curley received his usual lot of applicants for seed. In replying to the requests he announced that his successor would receive for distribution all the seed the 12th district was entitled to.

Upon his arrival here Mr. Gallivan found that under the law the seeds which were to have gone to Mr. Curley on April 1 had been turned back to the Department of Agriculture. Inasmuch as there was no member of congress from the 12th Massachusetts district at the time no seed was put aside to be held until such time as one would be elected.

Consequently Mr. Gallivan has hundreds of applications but no seed. He will have to wait until the first of next April before he can begin to supply the demand.

Another thing that came along to worry Mr. Gallivan was the announcement by officials of the house of representatives' postoffice that 1500 letters addressed to Mr. Gallivan here had been sent to Boston yesterday. Mr. Gallivan thought he had got his correspondence fairly well cleaned up.

Mr. Gallivan called at the capitol yesterday afternoon, but was too late to take the oath of office, which is always administered at the beginning of the day's proceedings. The report got out that Mr. Gallivan did not wish to take the oath yesterday because it was Friday. This Mr. Gallivan denied. He will take the oath today.

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BELVIDERE WAR HERO

NICHOLAS PAPPAS RETURNS ALL WHOLE FROM BALKAN WAR—IN TWELVE BATTLES

Mr. Nicholas Pappas has returned from Greece where he went to enlist when the war broke out. Everybody remembers "Nick" as a partner of Peter Belocas in the shine business on East Merrimack street.

When the call to arms was received "Nick" was one of the first to go to the aid of his mother country. On his arrival he was sent to Athens where he was drilled for two months before

NICHOLAS PAPPAS

being sent to the front.

He engaged in 12 battles on the Albanian coast, in the skirmishes on the Bulgarian frontier and also participated in the siege of Janina. He had the good fortune to escape without being wounded an dthough he endured many hardships said he would gladly go again if his country needed him.

After the war was declared off he spent three months with relatives but got lonesome for the United States and had to return. He is back at his old job as a weaver at the Merrimack mills in the daytime and at night you will find him at the old stand in the shine business.

TEACHER AT WELLESLEY

TAKES UNTO HERSELF A 71-YEAR-OLD HUSBAND—SHE IS 46 YEARS OLD

BOSTON April 18.—A friendship of years, ripening into love, will culminate in two weeks in the marriage of Daniel F. Knight of Dorchester 71 years old, and Mrs. Sadie Petingell, 46, a teacher in the fashionable Dana Hall School for Girls at Wellesley.

"There is no romance whatever," smilingly remarked Mr. Knight. "There will not be a large or fashionable wedding. We plan to be married the week after next quietly, and then, following a short wedding trip, we will probably live in Brookline. After the wedding trip I will return to my business. That's all—no romance. You see we have been friends for a long time"

Mr. Knight is in the paper business at 180 Congress street and is well known in the paper trade throughout New England. He lives at 510 Washington street, Dorchester.

His bride to be, Mrs. Petingell, has been connected with Dana Hall for some years. She could not be seen yesterday.

CHECK YOUR APRIL COUGH

Thawing frost and April rains chill you to the very marrow, you catch cold—Head and lungs stuffed—You are feverish—Cough continually and feel miserable—You need Dr. King's New Discovery. It soothes inflamed and irritated throat and lungs, stops cough, your head clears up, fever leaves, and you feel fine. Mr. J. T. Davis, of Stickney Corner, Me., "Was cured of a dreadful cough after doctor's treatment and all other remedies failed. Relief or money back. Pleasant—Children like it. Get a bottle today. 50c and $1.00 at your druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for All Sores.

THE HANDMAID OF HUMAN GOOD IS THE ART — LOWELL

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 31 Drug — April 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that George A. Willson has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as Druggist at Nos. 106 Branch, 491 School sts., and bulkhead on School st., in two rooms on first floor and cellar.

By Order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 32 Drug — April 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that John A. Osgood has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as Druggist at Nos. 576 Merrimack and 428-438 Suffolk sts., in four rooms on first floor, two rooms on second floor and cellar.

By Order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 33 Drug — April 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Frank P. Moody has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as Druggist at Nos. 361 Central st., and one unnumbered door on Appleton st., in two rooms on first floor and cellar.

By Order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 34 Drug — April 18, 1914.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Levi T. Steeves has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the sixth class as Druggist at Nos. 270-272 Chelmsford st., one unnumbered door on Chelmsford st., and one unnumbered door on Hale st., in two rooms on first floor and cellar.

By Order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. MULLANEY, Chairman.

BIG BANQUET

Plans are Complete for Annual Event of the Y. M. C. I

The banquet committee in charge of the monster banquet to be held by the Y. M. C. I. next Wednesday night, April 23, at its club house on Stackpole street, held a meeting last night and heard reports from its various sub-committees. From the reports received everything points towards the most successful feast ever held by this popular organization. The D. L. Page Co. has been awarded the contract for catering and the Y. M. C. I. orchestra is to furnish music. Collins, the decorator, is to have charge of beautifying the hall and the talented members of the society are to be heard in song and story. The array of speakers is particularly formidable. They include Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, Judge Thomas P. Riley of Malden, Hon. Thos. B. Dowd of Boston, who made such a forceful address last year, Rev. Joseph Curtin of St. Patrick's church, and last but not least Mr. Thos. J. Beane, who is to handle the affair in the capacity of toastmaster. Mr. Beane's ability is well known. As the seating capacity is limited, the sale of tickets will close Monday night, April 21.

Other guests who have accepted invitations are the Oblate Fathers of the Immaculate Conception church, Postmaster Robert J. Crowley, Supt. of Police Welch, Hon. John Jacob Rogers is also expected to be present. The committee under whose watchful eye the plans have progressed so successfully are as follows: Pres. Wm. King, Vice-President George Clark, Secretary Fred Gillis, Treasurer Joseph LeCan, Paul Clark, chairman, Frank McCarrin, John LeCan, John Cole, Thos. Clark, Patrick Farrell, Charles Burns, James F. Gilligan.

TO QUIT $5000 POSITION

ROBERT N. TURNER, LABOR COMMISSIONER, TO HAND IN HIS RESIGNATION

BOSTON, April 18.—Robert N. Turner, of Waltham, who since August last has been labor commissioner of the state, will today hand his resignation to the new board of labor and industries, which on Wednesday was confirmed by the council.

Mr. Turner made this announcement yesterday to certain of his friends in the legislature.

His comment was, he felt this would be the best way out, and that he intended to return to his law practice.

It has been intimated in some quarters that one of the first acts of the new commission would be to see about his retirement from the board, but it appears he reached this decision some time ago.

He informed Gov. Walsh shortly after the selection of the new board that he intended to leave the service, so he is following out a line of action which he had previously mapped out.

Mr. Turner was chosen commissioner in the first instance after a sharp contest between himself and John Golden of Fall River, who is now a member of the board.

His salary is $5000 a year, but the commission has the right to pay up to $7500. It is reported that Golden may be appointed to the vacancy, in which case the governor would have to make a new selection to represent labor on the board.

GOVERNOR'S DAUGHTER

WINS SUIT—VERMONT EXECUTIVE TESTIFIES IN BEHALF OF HIS DAUGHTER

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 18—Mrs. Mary Fletcher Charlton, daughter of Allen M. Fletcher, governor of Vermont, was granted a divorce from Dr. Frederick R. Charlton by Judge Remster in the circuit court yesterday afternoon.

Gov. Fletcher accompanied his daughter from his home in Proctorsville, Vt., and testified in her behalf. Mrs. Charlton was granted a divorce on her cross-complaint.

Dr. Charlton did not appear in court and no evidence was introduced to sustain his side of the case. Mrs. Charlton was granted the custody of their child.

WILLIE RITCHIE WON

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, won a decision over "Harlem Tommy" Murphy in a 20-round fight here last night. Nearly every round was easily Ritchie's, but Murphy's ability to stand punishment astounded the crowd.

LADY LOOKABOUT

With the lovely inconsistency which has been her own ever since the smiling, blushing Eve was presented in the Garden of Eden, to the smitten Adam whom she soon had under her thumb, woman rushes blindly, happily, from one fashion to another, staying with each only long enough to get the effect, when she is up again and off. Perhaps the one of all others who suffers most from this everlasting search for the unattainable, is poor man (I am sure it must be a man) who writes the full page advertisements in the large Sunday papers. The poor man's descriptive adjectives are exhausted long before he has warmed to his subject and in some cases the result is pitiable. I have been reading the advertisement of one of Boston's foremost ladies' furnishing houses, and really, I have never felt such compassion for anyone as I do for the man who wrote it. I am copying directly for you, two samples of his work which show the desperate condition he must have been in while gown after gown clamored for recognition.

"Crepe de chine blouse, trimmed Frenchily back and front. It has a Medici collar of lace, a standaway silk collar, a lace cape collar and a tasselled black silk cord—all on the same neck."

Wouldn't you know a man wrote it. Listen to this one: "The newer dresses sport an apron, not a housewifely apron—dear, no! It is made of the same material as the dress itself—sometimes it feels so much at home that the dress has an apron in back as well as in front—which settles it once for all that the apron is there for effect."

High Heels and Bad Sidewalks

It is a good thing for the exchequer of our city that low heels are, at the present time, the vogue in women's foot-wear. Should the high heel, discarded not so very long ago, suddenly return to favor, there would be so many suits against the city for damages resulting from defective sidewalks, that I am afraid city hall would have to be closed. Really, there are several places in the city where the condition of the sidewalks is a menace to public safety, and high heels or low, the wonder is that more accidents do not occur. Perhaps the spot that has impressed itself most deeply on most of us, is the patch of sidewalk directly in front of the new Y. M. C. A. building on Merrimack street. It would remind one of the rocky road to Dublin, and is it not a wonder that the young men would tolerate such at their very doors! This is only one spot. Others may be found in Gorham street, Central street and East Merrimack street. Already, one case for damages against the city is pending and when the sidewalks are in their present condition, it is hard to see how the city can offer any reasonable defence.

The Boston Hotel Calamity

That dreadful fire in the Allston apartment hotel has roused the authorities to a new activity in inspecting buildings and strengthening the fire laws. The pity is that no one seems to be aware of the danger from this source until a community has been visited by such a calamity. Then after the horse has been stolen, so to speak, the stable door is locked. Here in Lowell, the insurance companies keep after property owners in pretty good shape, but even with all their vigilance, sometimes they accomplish but half their duty. I have in mind a story, the truth of which I can vouch for. One of our largest furnishing houses had increased its floor space and added much new merchandise. The proprietor called in the agent of the insurance company he patronizes, to arrange for increasing the amount on his policy. The company refused to sanction an increase until the proprietor had installed a sprinkler system in his store. At the expense of much money, time and annoyance, this was finally accomplished, and the insurance increased to the satisfaction of all parties concerned. Eight years later, the proprietor again enlarged his quarters. When it came to extending the sprinkler service, plumbers went into the basement to turn the water off and drain the system, and, what do you think? In all those eight years the water had never been turned on in the sprinkler system! Yet the insurance company had done its duty when it refused to insure until its demands had been complied with, and the proprietor had acceded to the demands of the insurance company. Who was to blame? Fortunately, no fire had occurred, or there would have been much ado in investigating the cause and placing the blame. There can be no doubt that many disastrous fires occur from causes equally as absurd as the one I have cited.

Film Historical Records

The city of Paris has started an innovation, supported by city funds, which promises to become a valuable part of her story when the present generation has passed away. The feature consists in perpetuating by means of films, historical occurrences that take place from time to time. These films are to be protected and cherished as valuable documents, and it is needless to comment upon their value to future generations. Imagine, if you can, how we would prize a film depicting Washington crossing the Delaware, the signing of the Declaration of Independence; or perhaps some of the battles of the Civil war. They would be of untold value to our country, yet no movement has been made here to preserve authentic representations of historical events in this country.

To be sure, such films have been seen. We all have seen famous personages depicted in various acts of historical prominence, but these were prepared by firms who prepare films in which dramatic situations occur, frequently to the entire ignoring of features of actual historical value, because of the absence of the dramatic.

To Straighten Up

If the American Posture league, recently founded in New York City, accomplishes its object, the present day gait known as the di Milo slouch, with its drooping shoulders, hollow chests and protruding stomachs, will soon be relegated to the background. This society, which includes among its directors, many of the leading surgeons and physicians of the country, has for its object, the correcting of the postures of the American people. The league is working to have proper seats put in schools, shops and other places where present seats are conducive to unhealthful attitudes. The league makes recommendations to street car manufacturers, and already the new Brooklyn Rapid Transit subway cars are being constructed in accordance with its suggestions. It is the intention of the league to establish branches in various cities, and it would seem that right here in Lowell would offer a good field, as physical instruction is not featured here except in the high school.

The Horrors of War

It is with a feeling of great thanks we learn that there is actually little danger of war with Mexico. If more of us would put some thought on to the actual horrors of warfare, we would be much more ready to uphold President Wilson in not rushing the country headlong into war and bloodshed, notwithstanding the almost hysterical shrieking of some of our sensational newspapers. I am appending a copy of the worn original of a letter in the Confederate museum at Richmond, Va. The contributor who sends the copy to the New York Times, from which I am taking it, asks if those Americans who are urging the appeal to arms in quelling Mexican disorders realize the cost, and suggests a reading of the letters of those who in the past have engaged in warfare:

Spottsylvania County, Va., —, 1864.

Dear Father—This is my last letter to you. I went into battle this evening as courier for Gen. Heth. I have been struck by a piece of shell and my right shoulder is horribly mangled, and I know death is inevitable. I am very weak, but I write to you because I know you will be delighted to read a word from your dying son. I know death is near, that I will die far from home and friends of my early youth, but I have friends here, too, who are kind to me. My friend, Fairfax, will write you at my request and give you the particulars of my death. My grave will be marked so that you may visit it if you desire to do so, but (it) is optional with you whether you will let my remains rest here or in Mississippi. I would like to rest in the graveyard with my dear mother and brothers, but it is a matter of minor importance. Let us all try to reunite in Heaven. I pray my God to forgive my sins, and I feel that His promises are true and that He will forgive me and save me. Give my love to all my friends. . . . My strength fails me. My horse and my equipments will be left for you. Again a long farewell to you. May we meet in Heaven. Your dying son,

J. R. Montgomery.

City Dumps as Playgrounds

From time to time we hear the suggestion that the city dumps be used for playgrounds during the summer months. It is hard to believe that this suggestion can possibly come from the sources ascribed to it, to wit: persons of undoubted intelligence and education. Within a short time, I have read of a study of city dumps in Chicago by a principal of a school assisted by one of his teachers. They found the dump made up of refuse of all kinds, including street sweepings, mattresses and feather beds, dead animals,—cats, dogs, rats and so on, bottles of medicine, and a thousand and one things actually breathing infection. And yet there are those in this enlightened age who seriously recommend these dumps as playgrounds for our children, breathing places for babies and their mothers, sleeping places, perhaps, for the poor on hot summer nights.

Lowell has succeeded in advertising herself far and wide as a poor city, yet I do not believe she has reached the stage where she will turn her children into the city dumps, aggregations of contamination, and in calling these places playgrounds, put an end to the demand in some sections of these very necessary adjuncts of city life.

LADY LOOKABOUT.

OXFORD RELAY TEAM HERE

REPRESENTATIVES OF ENGLISH COLLEGE VISIT HARVARD AND INSPECT BUILDINGS

BOSTON, April 18—The champion Oxford relay team said to be the fastest aggregation of milers that ever represented an English college, spent yesterday afternoon at Harvard, sightseeing, dining and training. They were the guests of the Varsity club.

The team, comprising four members and a substitute, arrived in Boston yesterday at noon, were whisked to the Varsity club, where a dinner had been arranged in their honor, and were then taken for a tour of the Harvard grounds, after which they were brought to Soldiers field for a workout that was watched with interest by hundreds of students and followers of athletics.

This team will represent Oxford in the Penn relay carnival at Philadelphia next Saturday. It is composed of Capt. Arnold N. S. Jackson, David N. Gaussen, George M. Sproule and Norman Taber the former Brown university athlete who is now a Rhodes scholar at Oxford. Gilbert S. Robinson is the substitute.

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HUERTA IS OFFENDER

Gen. Villa Says He Does Not Believe Tampico Incident Will Result in War

TORREON, Mexico, April 18.—"I do not believe the Tampico incident will result in war between the United States and Mexico," commented General Villa today. "I regard the complication as one existing between President Wilson and President Huerta and question whether even the bombarding of Tampico would be construed as an act of war against Mexico since Huerta is the offender and illegally holds that port.

Asked if American non-combatants now resident in Mexico would be protected should war break out, Villa replied:

"It would be a war between two civilized nations and American non-combatants could rely on the same protection here as could Mexicans in the United States.

"But suppose there was a popular uprising against Americans; could you control it?"

"Well, I have driven 35,000 federals out of rebel territory and I imagine I could control the proletariat."

OFFICER SHOT

By Providence Desperado Who Held up a Saloon

PROVIDENCE, April 18.—Police Officer Timothy P. Sullivan of the 5th precinct was shot through the stomach and seriously wounded just before midnight by an unknown desperado who had robbed a saloon in Plain street after shooting at the bartender and driving the rest of the occupants from the place. The highwayman made his escape after shooting down Officer Sullivan and when last seen he was climbing over the fence surrounding the Rhode Island hospital grounds on Eddy street.

The police reserves were immediately called out to hunt for him, but up to a late hour he had not been seen. Officer Sullivan was hurried to the Rhode Island hospital, where it was said that his condition was critical.

Just before midnight, the closing hour, the unknown man entered the saloon and ordered a glass of beer. When he was served he drank it, paid for it and then pulled a revolver from his pocket and fired a shot at the bartender. The latter escaped injury by quickly dodging beneath the bar. The man then turned to the few customers in the place and ordered them out.

They all left quickly and Officer Sullivan, who was not far from the saloon, which is within 100 yards of the police station, was told of the shooting and holdup.

The stranger, after clearing the saloon, went behind the counter and rifled the cash register, which contained about $35. He was just leaving by the front door when Sullivan appeared.

Without a word or the slightest warning the robber opened fire on the policeman, the one shot taking effect in the stomach. Sullivan dropped in his tracks, and, brandishing his revolver, the robber ran toward the hospital grounds, pursued by an ever-increasing crowd, which, however, kept at a respectful distance.

The robber was last seen disappearing over the fence of the grounds, which embrace about 100 acres, and in the darkness the civilians refused to go further.

DEAD VICTIM ON ENGINE

CARRIED ON PILOT FOR MILES—STRUCK AT CROSSING—WAGON SMASHED

NEW YORK, April 18.—Racing through Garfield, N. J., at 9.30 last night, a westbound express train on the Erie railroad crashed against a horse and wagon. The horse was killed instantly, the wagon broken to pieces and the driver impaled on the pilot of the locomotive.

The engineer of the train apparently was unaware of the accident. The crash, however, was heard at police headquarters, a block away, and policemen ran out. They found the dead horse and broken wagon, but no sign of the driver, and concluded the horse had run away and got on the tracks.

When the train passed the Ridgewood station the agent there saw the body on the pilot and telegraphed ahead to Waldwick for the train to be flagged. There the train was stopped while the body of the man was taken off.

The man was identified as Louis Merchansano, fifty-eight years old, a junk dealer and expressman of Garfield. He is survived by a widow and three children.

There are neither gates nor watchman at the crossing where the wagon was struck. It is considered dangerous by the people of Garfield.

WANT AID FROM CITY

MASS MEETING OF JOBLESS ON BOSTON COMMON TODAY—MEALS AT TWO CENTS EACH

BOSTON, April 18.—A municipal lodging house, ample in its appointments to accommodate all men out of work and in quest of a night's lodging, and an arrangement whereby meals at 2 cents each will be served by the city of Boston, are among the feature topics that will be discussed at the meeting this afternoon on the common near the bandstand by the unemployed of Greater Boston.

SILVER JUBILEE

A meeting of the committee in charge of arrangements for the silver jubilee of the C. M. A. C. will be held tomorrow afternoon at the rooms in Pawtucket street. The event will be an important one in the history of the association for already several out-of-town members and former officers of the organization have replied favorably to the invitation to attend the festivities. The principal speaker at the banquet which will be held on a Sunday afternoon, will be Gov. David I. Walsh.

CHILD IN FLAMES

Dashed to Mother and Aunt—Both Badly Burned

ATLANTIC CITY, April 18.—Left alone in her home in the rear of 16 North Georgia avenue, last night, Mabel Anderson, fourteen years old, set fire to her clothing when trying to light a lamp.

Enveloped in flames, the girl ran shrieking to the home of Mrs. Jennie Lawson, three doors away, where her mother was visiting. Bursting in the door she flung herself on her parent, pitifully pleading for her life to be saved.

Mrs. Anderson's clothing also caught fire and mother and daughter seemed doomed. But Miss Margaret Love of Pleasantville, sister of Mrs. Anderson, broke the grip of the girl about her mother's neck and threw her to the floor.

Paying no heed to her own blazing garments, Mrs. Anderson ran to another part of the house for a rug. Then as Miss Love held the madly struggling girl on the rug about her and put out the flames. Miss Love beat out the fire in Mrs. Anderson's clothes.

A ambulance surgeon from the city hospital found the girl had been burned terribly on the legs and the lower part of the trunk, but the action of the mother and aunt had saved her from inhaling the flames. She has a slight chance to recover.

Mrs. Anderson, however, inhaled flames. One hand was burned to the bone, and the flesh was seared from her back in the brave fight to save her daughter. Miss Love's hands also were badly burned.

WON'T STAND FOR IT

GOV BLEASE OF SO. CAROLINA SEES BASE PLOT IN PROPOSED ENCAMPMENT

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 18.—The proposed encampment of the militia of the Carolinas, Georgia and Florida and United States regulars, which the war department has proposed to hold near Charleston this summer, is only a bluff, according to Gov. Cole L. Blease.

The real purpose of the manoeuvers, in his opinion, he said yesterday, was to get the militiamen on the coast where they could be packed on transports like cattle and hustled off to Mexico to fight Huerta. Gov. Blease says he doesn't propose to stand for it.

"I do not want the South Carolina boys slipped off," the governor says. "I want a fair, open call, so that those who volunteer to go will know what they are doing. I do not propose to allow South Carolina to be insulted and her men huddled up like cows and driven into boats without notice."

The governor says there is somebody in Washington connected with the war department who is trying to injure him politically.

CUT OUT THE BOOZE

SAID GEN. COXEY TO MEMBERS OF FIFE CORPS WHO TRADED INSTRUMENTS FOR BEER

LOUISVILLE, O., April 18.—Because members of the fife corps of "Coxey's army of the commonwealth" traded their instruments for beer, became drunk, it was charged, and were jailed by the village marshal, "General" Jacob Coxey issued an edict against drinking as the army left here today on the third day of the march to Washington.

"I don't belong to the W. C. T. U. myself, but from now on you've either got to cut out the booze or we don't want you along," was the ultimatum of the leader's address to his troops.

"We're marching to Washington to teach the people a great moral lesson and you'll destroy all its effect if you persist in getting loaded."

LAWRENCE WOMAN LOSES SUIT

LAWRENCE, April 18.—An Essex county jury returned a verdict for the defendant in superior court yesterday in the case of Mrs. Mary Rhodes of Haverhill against the Boston & Maine railroad. The plaintiff sued to recover for injuries sustained by her husband, who was a cripple, in being assisted from a train in Boston.

Ford Runabout For Sale

Four cylinder 22 horse-power in good condition; tires all good; owner selling because he is buying touring car. Can be seen at the Boston Auto Supply Co., 98 Bridge st., Sunday or Monday, between 10 a. m. and 12 m. Price $175. This is a bargain.

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	73⅝	72¾	72¾
Am Beet Sugar	22¼	22¼	22¼
Am Can	25¼	24	24
Am Can pfd	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
Am Car & Fn	49¾	49½	49½
Am Locomo	30½	30½	30½
Am Smelt & R	66	65	65
Am Sugar Rfn	100	99½	99½
Anaconda	34⅛	34	34
Atchison	95½	95⅝	95⅝
Atch pf	100	100	100
Balt & Ohio	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞
Br Rap Tran	90⅞	90½	90½
Canadian Pac	200	199½	199½
Cent Leather	35⅜	34⅞	34⅞
Ches & Ohio	51⅝	51½	51½
Chi & Gt W	12	12	12
Del & Hud	149¾	149¾	149¾
Del L & W	397	395	395
Den & R G pf	19⅝	19½	19⅝
Dis Secur Co	15¼	15¼	15¼
Erie	28⅜	27⅝	28
Erie 1st pf	43¾	43¾	43¾
Gt North pf	121⅞	121⅜	121⅜
Illinois Cen	110½	110	110
Int Met pf	61	61	61
Kan City So	24	24	24
Kan & Texas	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Lehigh Valley	137¼	134½	136
Louis & Nash	136½	136½	136½
Mexican Cent	12	12	12
Missouri Pa	20⅛	18¾	20
N Y Central	88	87¼	87¼
Nor & West	103	103	103
North Pacific	109¾	108¾	109
Ont & West	26	26	26
Pennsylvania	109¾	109¼	109¼
Pressed Steel	41½	41½	41½
Reading	162⅛	161	161
Rep Iron & S	22¼	22¼	22¼
Rep I & S pf	82½	82½	82½
Rock Is	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
Rock Is pf	5¼	5⅛	5⅛
St. Paul	98	97½	97½
So Pacific	91⅞	91	91
Southern Ry	24	24	24
Tenn Copper	33½	33½	33⅛
Union Pacific	154⅛	152¾	152¾
U S Rub	57⅝	57⅛	57⅛
U S Steel	58⅛	57⅞	58
U S Steel 5s	102½	102½	102½
Utah Copper	55¾	55	55
Wabash R R	⅞	¾	¾
Wab E R pf	4⅛	4	4
Westinghouse	72¼	72⅛	72⅛
Western Un	61¾	61¼	61¼

COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling Uplands, 13.10. Middling Gulf, 13.35. No sales.

HEAVY PRESSURE

Again Directed Against Stock Market at the Opening—Close Firm

NEW YORK, April 18.—Heavy pressure was again directed against the stock market in today's early trading and the week's decline was extended. All of the favorite speculative shares were unloaded in large amounts. Reading, Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Northern Pacific, Steel and Can were depressed one to 1¾. Lowest prices of the year were touched by Steel, Reading and Union Pacific. Missouri Pacific and Lehigh Valley, which were acutely weak yesterday, met with support and after selling off fractionally rallied. Missouri Pacific made a net gain of a point and Lehigh Valley 1-2. New Haven advanced a point.

The market closed firm. The action of the market indicated that the selling movement had run its course for the time being. Raiding tactics of the bears failed to bring out more long stock and after the early decline the market made a consistently good showing. At the end of the session prices ranged around yesterday's close with material net gains in a few instances. Heavy covering of Lehigh Valley and Missouri Pacific sent them up sharply. Announcement of plans for meeting the Missouri Pacific and New Haven notes, which soon fall due, was of good effect on those stocks and stimulated buying elsewhere. Bonds were steady.

COTTON FUTURES

	Open	Close
May	12.45	12.40
July	12.34	12.23
August	12.09	12.03
October	11.19	11.51
December	11.56	11.45
January	11.47	

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston Elevated	80	80	80
Bos & Maine	43½	42¾	42¾
N Y & N H	69½	69	69½
MINING			
Allouez	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
Arcadian	5	4⅞	5
Cal & Arizona	66	66	66
Chino	40¾	40½	40½
Copper Range	37½	37½	37½
E Butte	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Franklin	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Granby	80	78½	79
Greene-Cananea	34¼	33⅞	33⅞
Hancock	15¼	15¼	15¼
Indiana	35	34¼	34¼
Kerr Lake	4½	4½	4½
Mayflower	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Mohawk	43	43	43
Nevada	14¾	14½	14¾
North Butte	26	26	26
Old Colony	4⅝	4⅛	4⅛
Old Dominion	49	49	49
Osceola	76½	76½	76½
Ray Con	21	21	21
Winona	3½	3½	3½
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	120½	120½	120½
MISCELLANEOUS			
Mass Elec	10	10	10
Mass Elec pf	59½	59½	59½
Mass Gas	89¾	89¾	89¾
United Fruit	157½	157¼	157¼
UNLISTED SECURITIES			
Alaska Gold	26⅞	26⅝	26⅝
Am Ag Chem pf	94	94	94
Am Woolen pf	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛
Butte & Superior	31½	31½	31½
Isle Royale	18½	18½	18½
Miami Cop	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Swift & Co.	106½	106½	106½
U S Smelting	37¼	37	37¼

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, April 18.—Prime mercantile paper, 3¾. Sterling exchange, steady. Sixty day bills, 485.70; for demand, 487.65. Commercial bills, 484 1-2.

Bar silver, 58 1-4. Mexican dollars, 45 1-2. Government bonds, easy; railroad bonds, steady.

Exchanges, $340,470,528; balances, $21,949,916

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, April 18.—Coppers were moderately active with the tone firm today. The market closed dull, generally easier. Alaska, 26 7-8; Granby, 78 1-2; North Butte, 26.

SAW MILL DESTROYED

FIRE AT FALLS CREEK, B. C., TODAY CAUSED A LOSS OF $150,000

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 18.—Fire today destroyed the saw mill of the Alberta Lumber Co. on Falls Creek. The loss was $150,000.

MEXICAN SITUATION

Continued

ca City as far as a trestle about 20 miles west of Vera Cruz.

The armored cruiser South Dakota with 260 marines was ordered to sail today from the Bremerton yard to San Diego, California, there to await further orders.

While President Wilson's final message was in transmission to Mexico City orders were flashing out from the navy department setting all the forces already in Mexican waters in readiness to enforce its terms. There were no orders to the troops at Texas City.

While public officials announced that unless Huerta saluted the flag according to President Wilson's demand as soon after receipt of today's message as was physically possible, action would be taken without any further exchanges.

"Very Grave Business"

Members of the cabinet were summoned to the White House for conference. Postmaster General Burleson was the first to arrive. Others left their offices and hurried to the executive offices in their motor cars.

As President Wilson, Secretary Bryan and Secretary Tumulty returned to the White House offices their faces were very grave and they were silent.

All callers and those who had engagements with Mr. Wilson were turned away with the word that "very grave business" was being considered.

If Huerta has not yielded at 6 p. m. Sunday President Wilson will take the matter to congress Monday. This was announced at the White House.

Wilson Typed Reply

Secretary Bryan explained that the president's statement meant Huerta would be obliged to guarantee the salute without qualifications by 6 p. m. Sunday and that physical obstacles might defer its being actually fired by that hour.

The president typed the reply himself on his own typewriter, as is his custom with important documents. Then he decided that inasmuch as there probably would be no action before tomorrow night he would change his plans and go to White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., anyway and bring Mrs. Wilson back to Washington.

At the navy department in the absence of Secretary Daniels, who is in Cleveland today, the board of aides, which is the executive arm of the service, went into session to make the finishing plans for moving ships and marines.

Going to Deliver Punch

There was no activity at the war department and no orders were issued for the troops at Texas City. At the state department, Secretary Bryan called a hurried conference with John Lind who has just returned from an eight months' stay in Huerta's country. After the conference Mr. Bryan hurried back to the White House where other cabinet officers had collected and although with grave faces the officials discussed the developments confidently.

"The temporizing is ended," said one of the cabinet officers, who is personally close to Mr. Wilson. "We have the punch; we know it and we are going to deliver it. Huerta has had his last chance."

While the text of Huerta's message today and the president's reply were not made public it became known that Huerta contended that all the offenses for which the United States asks apology have been apologized for, and that "he demurs at anything further."

Naval Forces Sufficient

Officials pointed out that the naval forces at Vera Cruz and Tampico were sufficient to carry out the president's plans without waiting for the arrival of Rear Admiral Badger's fleet.

The transport Hancock has already arrived at Tampico with 800 marines. The battleships Virginia, Connecticut and Minnesota and the cruisers Des Moines, Dolphin and San Francisco also are there. The scout cruiser Chester and the transport Buffalo also are at Tampico with the collier Cyclops.

At Vera Cruz are the battleships Florida and Utah and the transport Prairie, the latter having a large complement of marines.

Rear Admiral Mayor commands the ships at Tampico and Rear Admiral Fletcher commands at Vera Cruz. When Rear Admiral Badger arrives he will take supreme command.

Will Reach Tampico Tuesday

The flagship Arkansas with the other ships with Admiral Badger were off Key West last night making about eleven and a half knots and at that rate would reach Tampico by Tuesday. Orders from Washington, however, putting the new fast ships under forced draught would bring them into Tampico on Monday prepared for action if President Wilson has to lay the situation before congress.

The fact that the senate was not in session today, having adjourned over until Monday was referred to by some officials as the only reason the president had not taken the Mexican matter over to the capitol today.

On Monday there will be opportunity for Mr. Wilson to address house and senate in a joint session.

Huerta Making Trouble

Huerta's final defiance came as a distinct surprise to some officials and confirmed the suspicions of others who never have believed that the dictator was sincere in his promise to Charge O'Shaughnessy last Tuesday. In some circles there was a conviction that Huerta, beset with internal troubles and menaced by the continued advance of his enemies from the north was bent on making trouble with the United States in the hope of uniting the warring Mexican factions in a common cause.

"Measures Short of War"

The president has not made known what plan of action he will lay before congress but the discussion up to this time has indicated that the next decisive step would be one of those measures described by international authorities as "measures short of war" known as reprisal or pacific blockade.

The Pacific blockade has not been favorably regarded in executive quarters for while it would put restraint on the ships of Mexico it would not assure a stop in the shipping of foreign powers dealing with Mexico. Reprisal, therefore, has appeared to furnish the method usual in redressing an offense such as the one now being dealt with.

Precedents of Reprisal

Reprisal is usually carried out by the sequestration or seizure of property belonging to the offending state and holding it until redress is given. International authorities hold this is a means of putting stress on a wrongdoing state by something short of war.

The two best established precedents of reprisal are the British seizure of the Greek ships of war in the Mediterranean in 1848 and the British seizure of the customs house at Corinto, Nicaragua, in 1895.

Those acts of reprisal were held to be measures of redress short of war although the offending state might have construed them as such an invasion of sovereignty as to warrant a declaration of war.

U. S. TRANSPORT HANCOCK WITH 950 MARINES ARRIVES AT TAMPICO, MEX.

TAMPICO, Mex., April 18.—The United States transport Hancock, with 950 marines on board, arrived here yesterday from New Orleans.

Five American battleships were reported by wireless off Key West last night, steaming toward the Mexican coast.

FIRST REFERENCE OF TAMPICO EPISODE IN VERA CRUZ PAPER

VERA CRUZ, April 18.—The first reference to the Tampico episode, was published yesterday afternoon by La Opinion.

According to the version of La Opinion, President Huerta offered to salute the United States flag if he were assured of a reciprocal salute. Charge O'Shaughnessy transacted Huerta's proposal to Washington and President Wilson agreed to it according to La Opinion.

BATTLESHIPS CONTINUE TO PRESS FORWARD TOWARD COAST OF MEXICO

BOSTON, ON BOARD THE U. S. S. ARKANSAS AT SEA, BY WIRELESS, VIA ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., April 18.—Rear Admiral Charles J. Badger, commander of the Atlantic fleet, yesterday received no orders from Washington, and the battleship squadron continued to press forward toward the coast of Mexico. Again today there was infantry drill and automatic gun practice on board the Arkansas.

Wireless reports received today on board the flagship indicated that the battleships Louisiana and Michigan were catching up with the main squadron at the rate of two knots an hour and would joint it off Tampico.

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THE BATTERIES FOR TODAY!

American: Philadelphia at Boston—clear. Batteries: Boston, Bedient and Thomas; Philadelphia, Shawkey and Schang.

National: Boston at Philadelphia—clear. Batteries: Purdue and Gowdy; Marshall and Killifer.

FIRE IN TEWKSBURY

EXTINGUISHED BY A BUCKET BRIGADE OF VOLUNTEERS—DAMAGE WAS SLIGHT

A threatening fire broke out in a field in the rear of the Foster school on the state road in Tewksbury Center this forenoon and it was the quick work of the tree and fire warden, Harris Briggs, that prevented what might have resulted in a serious blaze.

The fire was discovered in the field shortly after 11 o'clock by some one who notified the fire warden, who rushed to the scene. When he arrived on the premises the flames were spreading rapidly toward the school and although several volunteers were soon on the job with buckets, shovels and hoes, it was feared that the school would catch fire. However, after over a half hour of hard labor the men succeeded in checking the fire before any damage was caused.

ANDOVER K. OF C. BALL

Surpassing all previous efforts, the ninth annual ball of Andover council, 1078, Knights of Columbus, was held in the town hall, Andover, Friday evening.

The largest crowd that has ever attended one of these functions was in attendance.

Milington's orchestra furnished music throughout the evening and rendered a splendid concert from 8 until 9 o'clock.

Following the concert the grand march led by Grand Knight James Daley and Miss Alice G. Weiss and participated in by a large number of knights and their partners, executed some pleasing movements.

General dancing followed until 1 o'clock.

Many persons were in attendance from this city.

The hall was elaborately decorated for the occasion the predominating colors being blue and white.

The officials in charge comprised: Grand conductor, James Daley; assistant grand conductor, John F. Sweeney; floor director, Edward J. Morrissey; assistant floor director, James F. Walsh; aids, Bernard L. McDonald, P. J. Carroll, Walter Donovan, John J. Driscoll, D. J. Mahoney, Francis O. Maroney, F. J. Mooney and W. J. Morris.

The reception committee composed of all Past Grand Knights included the following: Dr. Joseph A. Daley, Robert J. Dwyer, F. J. Mahoney, John H. McDonald and John Sweeney.

OPEN CARS ARE OUT

The open cars showed up rather timidly yesterday but today they are out in full force and it seems pretty good to see them at that. They may spell pneumonia in some instances and pneumonia is too good for the fellow who wouldn't take a chance on an open car at this season of the year. Yes siree, it seems pretty good to ride on a car in which you don't have to stare at the advertisements in order to avoid staring at somebody across the way. Here's hoping that the weather clerk will not send the open cars back to the stables.

LABOR COMMISSIONER QUITS

BOSTON, April 18.—Robert Turner of Waltham, state labor commissioner, sent his resignation to the board of labor and industries today to return to his law practice. John Golden, the textile leader, of Fall River, is mentioned to succeed the commissioner. He is now a member of the board.

MEXICAN PRISONERS SHOT

EL PASO, Texas, April 18.—Individual infractions of the rules at the prison camp at Fort Bliss since the Tampico incident culminated last night in the shooting of two of the Mexican federal prisoners by sentries. One of the wounded men will die.

ON 90 MILE TRIP

Squad of Mounted Militia Men on a Regular Army Endurance Test

A horseback endurance test was tried today when a dozen militiamen left Boston on a 90-mile trip on horseback. The men were headed by Adjutant-General Gardner W. Pearson and they came through Lowell shortly before 4 o'clock.

They left the Boston armory early this forenoon and wended their way to Bedford, where they met the adjutant-general and two of his orderlies. From there the party came through Billerica and Lowell, reaching this city shortly before four o'clock this afternoon. They continued their journey to the Vesper Country club on Tyngs Island, where at 4 o'clock they partook of a luncheon.

The militiamen will spend the night at the Country club and early tomorrow morning they will continue their trip until the distance is covered. The route after leaving the Vesper Country club was not announced. This test is similar to that occasionally given the regular army men and it is a new feature among the militiamen brought about by the adjutant-general.

B. & M. CARSHOPS BUSY

OVERHAULING LOCOMOTIVES OF ALL KINDS AT RATE OF TEN A WEEK

The contractors who are doing work at the Billerica car shops are rushing along and it is expected that by the middle of May the entire contract work will be completed. The pipers are still on the job and the men who have installed the boilers are still working on the erection of the coal carrying apparatus, while about 90 per cent. of the boiler house is completed.

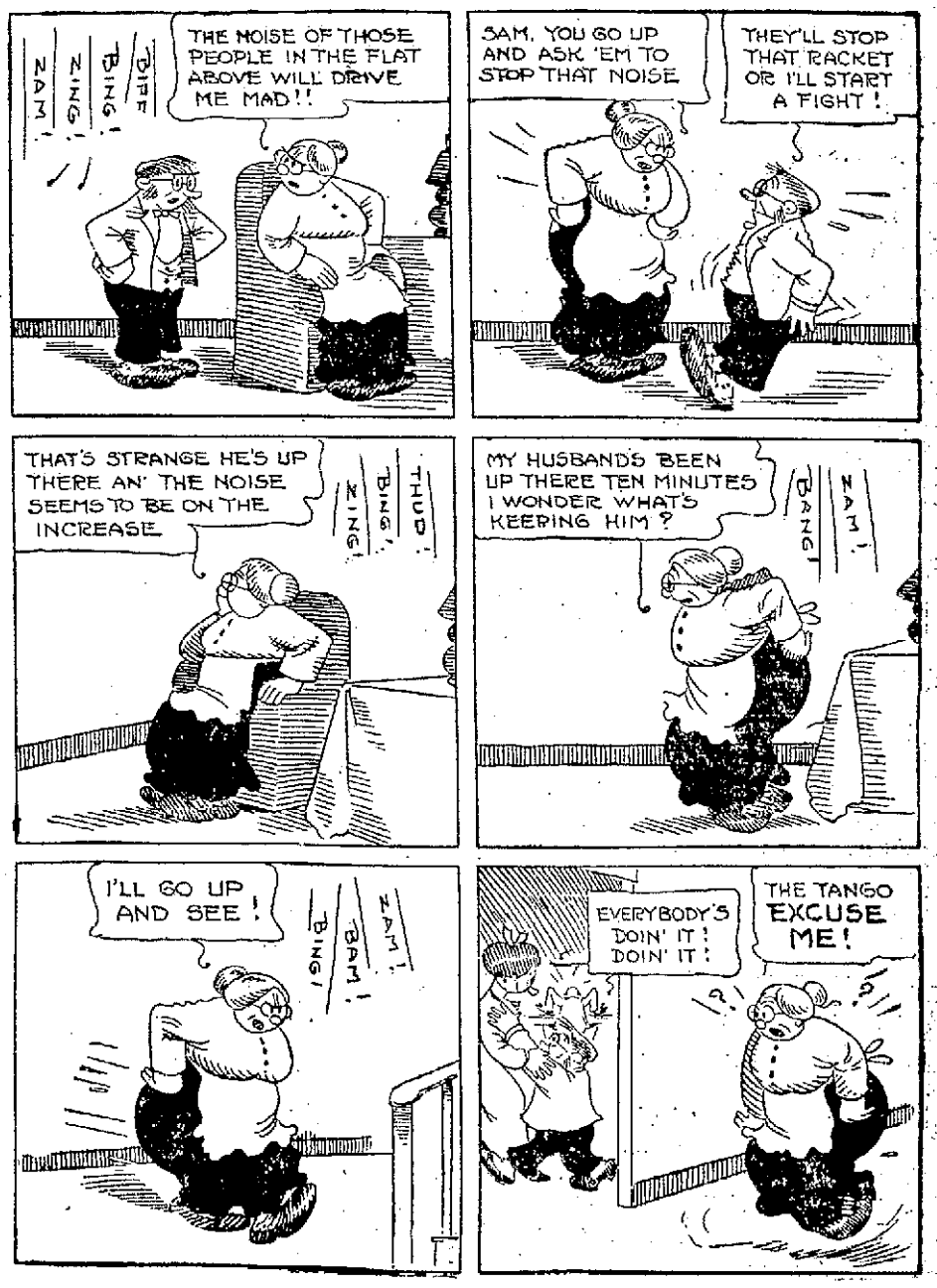
Business is rushing at the big plant and Assistant Superintendent Nowell is authority for the statement that last week the men repaired 10 heavy locomotives, while this week 10 heavy and two light locomotives have been overhauled and repaired. However, the company has all the help wanted and it will be some time before local men are employed.

TO UNVEIL FLAGPOLE

LAWRENCE, April 18.—Miss Dorothy Shattuck, daughter of Joseph Shattuck, president of the Third National bank of Springfield, will unveil the municipal flagstaff, a gift of her grandfather, the late Joseph Shattuck, Monday morning. There will be a short parade of Needham and Gen. Lawson posts, and the local militia companies and Battery C. The latter will fire a salute of 21 guns.

THE SUN IS ON SALE IN THE NORTH STATION BOSTON

EXCUSE ME



BACHELOR CLUB CONCERT

Musical Organization Presents "The Benedicts," a Musical Oddity With Catchy Songs

"The Benedicts," a musical oddity, presented by the famous 20th Century Bachelor club under the direction of Charles D. Slattery, made a big hit at Associate hall last evening and the applause which greeted the presentation of the program must have been gratifying to the members of the club who occupied places around a large table on the stage. The audience was large, and every part of the evening's program was splendidly carried out and although this group of musicians has conducted many successes in the past, last evening's affair probably excelled all their former efforts.

The work of every member of the club was of a fine order of merit, each of them giving the right spirit to his part to make it go well, and all deserved the liberal applause given. Mr. Slattery had general charge of the production and he was ably assisted by George Smith, as musical director. The chorus was also good and many expressions of approval were heard about the hall at its fine work. Music throughout the evening was furnished by the Bachelor Club orchestra and this proved to be one of the features of the evening.

It was nearly 9 o'clock when the curtain was drawn for the opening chorus and the stage presented a very pleasing scene. The background was in purple and white while several American flags were prettily arranged in the centre, make the effect very striking.

After the opening number, which was greeted with loud applause, Walter Mack, who possesses a fine baritone voice, sang "While the Rivers of Love Flow On," and the audience expressed their satisfaction by insisting upon an encore. Richard D. Donoghue, one of the three black faces in the company, made a great hit with his song number, "Within the Law," while Joseph Murphy, basso, pleased with a selection entitled "The Bells." "When I Dream of Old Erin I'm Dreaming of You," by John Devlin, proved a great favorite, but the climax of the evening came when William Marren stepped in front of the footlights and gave one of his latest hits called "When I'm all Dressed Up and No Place to Go." Mr. Marren injected considerable local comedy into his number and was obliged to respond to no less than five encores, and then quit only because time would not allow him to go further.

"Dreams of Mother" by Eugene McCarthy was very well received, while John J. Dalton brought down the house with a well selected song number. Ed. Shea made his usual good impression with a song entitled "Rafferty's Chimes," and also carried out a few clever dance steps that pleased. "Jimmy" Roane made a hit with a very catchy number, "I Love the Ladies," well rendered, and John J. Gleason ended up the entertainment in fine style by singing "I Love the Good Old United States." Several clever local hits were sprung during the entertainment and all were well received by the audience.

After the entertainment dancing was begun and continued till midnight, with the exception of a short intermission, to music furnished by the Bachelor Club orchestra and if anyone failed to enjoy the evening's program it was not the fault of the committee in charge.

MR. CHARLES D. SLATTERY
General Manager.

HORSE RACING MONDAY

The Lowell Driving club will hold horse races on Boylston street next Monday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock and it is believed that some interesting contests will take place. Any person wishing to enter a horse in any of the races must make application at the office of the club, corner of Middlesex and Thorndike streets, sometime tomorrow evening.

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Young Girls, Heed This Advice.

Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should immediately seek restoration to health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

THE MAN IN THE MOON

The disinterested patronizer of basketball and baseball games and even concerts and other forms of entertainment must be forcibly struck by the unpleasant fact that too often he becomes the victim of fakes and fakerism. He has good reasons for believing that certain games of basketball or baseball he has witnessed are frame-ups pure and simple; and it is certainly a painful experience he undergoes when, having given up his quarter or a half he is obliged to endure two or three hours of exhibitions a really good amateur would feel ashamed to be associated with. Often we attend entertainments simply to help out a worthy object, and are prepared for what we receive; but it occasionally happens, as it has happened to the Man in the Moon rather recently you pay fully anticipating a genuine treat, yet it is not long before you know you have been stung.

I know it is not the proper thing to criticise local productions of this nature. You know how the newspaper reports of this or that concert or entertainment always are—so laudatory to the instrumentalist, singer or actor, that really Harold Bauer, Kreisler, Madame Homer, McCormack, Mrs. Fiske or Warfield have little on the local stars. So thickly do the reporters honeyize their write-ups of everything of this kind that real merit is seldom distinguished. This, and worse, is generally the effect of over-indulgence in lauding indifferent amateurs and professional bluffs of colossal pretensions and nerve of which latter Lowell has a few. I would not have merit unrecognized nor would I withhold praise where deserved, but the Man in the Moon respectfully suggests to his imaginative fellow journalists that artists, musicians, baseball players and other species are not made at the desks of the newspaper offices.

I recall an incident which occurred in this city several years ago, when a young man of pale countenance and long hair put something over on several persons. This young man, a piano player of very modest parts, by dint of fake newspaper testimonials which told of his great accomplishments as a pianist, worked up quite an interest in the "recital" he was to give. The program he was to perform as advertised was worthy of Paderewski himself. Those who gave up their dollar were made to listen to some piano playing which was the veriest rot. It is safe to say that a more impulsive audience would have stale-egged the long haired young man from the stage. But it didn't; and the pianist did pocket the dollars and forgot to pay for the hall. He also forgot to pay the printers. A few years later he was arrested for alleged burglary. Somehow or other he escaped punishment and disappeared from local scenes.

Fake Concert

I have cited an extreme case of fakerism. Fakes and fakerism differ only in degree. Not so long ago I gave up 50 cents and attended a concert which consisted of 19 or 20 numbers or 2 1-2 cents per number. Advertised to begin at 8 o'clock, it finally started at 8.35. I listened to some poor amateur piano playing and to an orchestra which was announced as "second to none," and, believe, me, I stood it as long as I could and then made my escape. I listened to the head-liner, a great opera singer, sing wretchedly a single little song from a popular opera, wretchedly accompanied on a wretched piano. The song called for little or no dramatic antics and just why the great singer raised both hands above his head as he ended I couldn't comprehend. I think, however, he wished to remind the audience that it was now time for their vociferous applause.

Reading in a morning paper the report of this concert, I learned that it was really one of the finest we ever enjoyed. Nuff sed.

Waterways Unguarded

Former Commissioner Harry W. J. Howe, who usually thoroughly investigates a matter before he expresses himself, has once more told us in a letter to this paper of the death of a child caused by negligence in affording adequate protection by way of fencing the brook into which the child fell. Mr. Howe has at other times sought to arouse the public to demand that effective measures be taken to lessen the danger of fatal accidents of this character, but he has met with but little or no encouragement. Former Councilman Coughlin endeavored several years ago to do something, but further than placing here and there some life-saving devices which have been permitted to become useless, nothing was done. The politicians smiled, because, probably, they saw no promise of graft in the proposition; and while public attention has been called to these death-traps since the new charter arrived, the powers that have been and are, have evidently considered it, if considered at all, beneath their august notice.

Meanwhile the death traps continue to exist, and as records would conclusively show, have done a thriving business. They exist along waterways controlled by the Locks and Canals company, the Wamesit Power Co., in places where the city of Lowell has jurisdiction and in suburban ledge holes owned by private individuals. Of course drowning accidents will continue to occur, but that the number of such accidents among irresponsible and adventuresome children could be greatly lessened by the simple safeguarding of dangerous places goes without question. Yet nothing is done. One might think that the life of a child was nothing; or if but a child of the poor, hardly of sufficient importance to receive consideration from the hands of great capitalists and exalted public servants.

Noted Pianist

Mr. Pasquale Fallarico, the young pianist who gave a recital in Colonial hall last February and in which he made so favorable an impression has been the guest of his friend, Carl Mason at the latter's home in Fourth avenue, this week. Mr. Fallarico was accompanied by Paul Mason, the illustrator, both coming from Wilton, N. H., where they have studios. They attended the concert given by the Haydn quartet in the Worthen Street Baptist church on Wednesday evening. Mr. Fallarico made many friends in Lowell upon his recent appearance here, and they will be interested to learn that he contemplates giving another recital here next season. Paul Mason, a Lowell boy and a graduate of our high school, has made excellent progress in his painting and composition work during the winter past, his work exciting much favorable comment among Boston artists and publishers, the latter having accepted much of his work and given commissions for more. This will please his Lowell friends.

Clocks That Keep Time

Notwithstanding the fact that clocks are among the most common and every day objects we encounter, they have afforded themes for poets and give object lessons in mechanics and philosophy. Longfellow has given us a poetic picture of the life of a clock, and everybody knows the lines about "My Grandfather's Clock was too tall for the shelf so it stood 90 years on the floor, etc." Some old clocks in homes and situated away up in church belfrys and town house towers are venerable objects that we would not part with at any cost. Just as Daniel Webster at Bunker Hill addressed the revolutionary veterans as "Venerable men!" we thus could fitly refer to many old clocks, "Venerable clocks," ticking away the time between our birth and death, the nearest human device to perpetual motion, the faithful recorder of the hours with its eternal "Forever—never. Never—forever."

There's no gainsaying the usefulness of clocks—when they are running correctly. But when they don't run at all or don't run right, of course they are worse than no clocks at all. Now the big clock in city hall tower is all right. It's a good clock—a great piece of mechanism. It is usually on time. About every office in the city building is ornamented with a clock and some cost more than others. My attention has been called to the fact that no two of them keep the same time. Go into one office and you observe it is 10.30, another will show 10.15 and so on, all recording different time. One or two of them aren't going at all and haven't for weeks. How does anybody expect to see a business administration of city affairs, when the city hall people can't have their clocks running correctly? How, indeed!

The Old Time Promenade

The days have long since gone when I of a Saturday or Sunday evening used to join the promenaders between Towers corner and Huntington hall. If any engage in this inspiring pastime nowadays, they make up an entirely new set of young men and women. Since the old days there have taken place some changes between the points mentioned—the two important ones being the creation of Palmer street and the disappearance of the old Hamilton wall. For new buildings along that time-honored route since that time we have the Bradley building, Central block, the Middlesex Trust company and the Y. M. C. A. building, wretchedly located, but withal a building of parts and of fine appointments. Several buildings have been remodeled, among them being Wyman's Exchange, the old city hall building, Tyler's block and the old Lowell Inn, which will soon blossom forth as the "Harrisonia." There still stand several more that that could well stand great improvement. Still the young men and women walk these sidewalks, yet I fancy the practice is not of the proportions it once was. The many cheap show places which have sprung up within the past few years no doubt draw many young people away from that old time custom of walking back and forth on the two main thoroughfares of the city.

The Weather

It is not a pleasant thing to say a word in disparagement of the usually bright, yet fickle month of April; but we are obliged to admit that her sunny skies have thus far been all too few, and her rainy, blustering blizzardly days all too many. This weather coming in this Easter week when we hoped for bright opportunities to unload some of the accumulated piety and regain lost physical vigor is particularly depressing. It obstructs. Think of singing—but you just can't—in the face of these April blizzards, that old song we used to sing:

"'Tis a welcome, welcome April shower
Which will make—will make—the sweet May flower."

THE MAN IN THE MOON.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors, who by their kind acts and words of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings endeavored to lighten our great sorrow in the death of our dear son and brother.

(Signed)
Mr. Robert W. Proctor and Family.

RICH MAN'S SON IN JAIL

MALCOLM GIFFORD IS CHARGED WITH MURDER OF FRANK J. CLUTE, A CHAUFFEUR

ALBANY, April 18.—Malcolm Gifford, Jr., aged 19, son of a wealthy manufacturer of Hudson, N. Y., is in jail here, charged with the murder of Frank J. Clute, a chauffeur.

Clute was killed April 1, 1913, while driving an unidentified man from here to Troy. The passenger shot Clute in the back of the head, robbed him and threw the body into a ditch. The slayer wore a gray overcoat and a light fedora hat.

On that night Gifford, who had been expelled from a private school a month previously, but never had gone home nor notified his parents, left the house of a friend, Derrick Boardman, in Troy, ostensibly to attend a dance.

He was garbed in a dress suit, a gray overcoat and a light fedora hat, it is said.

Several hours later Gifford appeared at the dance. Witnesses before the grand jury yesterday said his clothing was soiled. The next morning, it was testified, he put his overcoat in one friend's suitcase, his hat in another, borrowed a cap and left for home.

Recently property belonging to Clute was found under the eaves of the house where Gifford stayed on the night of the killing.

A pair of gloves, of the same brand Gifford was wearing when detained by detectives, were found near Clute's body. These, detectives declared, Gifford attempted to hide when they apprehended him at Chatham, Mass., last Tuesday, while he was on his way to Easthampton, Mass., where he was a student.

He was brought here and his detention kept a secret, even from his parents until yesterday.

Clute was shot with an automatic pistol. Authorities say Gifford owned such a weapon. Gifford could drive a machine. An attempt was made by the slayer of Clute to start the automobile after the killing. Footprints showed this. The footprints have been preserved and now are in the custody of District Attorney Harold D. Alexander, who obtained the indictment.

The grand jury returned an indictment and yesterday Gifford was arraigned before Supreme Court Judge Chester. A plea of not guilty was entered for him.

GOOD REPUTATION

EASTHAMPTON, April 18.—Malcolm Gifford, Jr., who is under arrest at Albany, N. Y., charged with the murder of Frank J. Clute, was a student at a seminary here last winter. He entered the school the first of the year and left at the beginning of the spring vacation three weeks ago. It was supposed he had gone to his home in Hudson, N. Y. He did not return at the opening of the spring term and nothing had been heard from him. According to the principal of the seminary Gifford, had an excellent reputation and was a good student.

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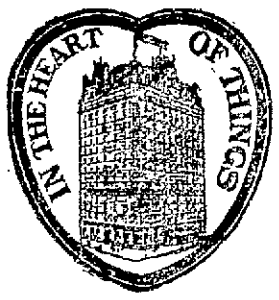

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NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Bill Affecting Pearson Postponed Again—Abuse of Arrested Persons by the Police

BOSTON, April 18.—Democrats who with certain of the republicans have long been restive over some members' habit of skipping the Friday sessions of the legislature, put them on record yesterday by springing a roll-call just before adjournment. Thanks to the warning of what was up, 188 of the 240 members were recorded, though some of the men had to be hauled in from the highways and byways to make even that total.

Pearson Bill

All bills and reports in connection with the tenure of office of the adjutant-general were postponed until Tuesday in the house on Beacon Hill yesterday. Speaker Cushing reserved his decision on the point of order raised that the bill reported by a majority of the committee on military affairs should be referred to ways and means, because it involved additional expenditure.

A bill requiring owners of apartment houses to keep posted conspicuously a statement showing the class of construction of the building, was submitted by Mr. Hays of Boston, who declared there have been built in Boston within a few years many apartment houses where first-class rents are charged and where the inhabitants imagine themselves living in places of first-class construction, but where the construction is often inferior.

Mr. Glennon of Cambridge introduced an order that the Boston Transit commission report at once upon establishing a station at Dewey square as soon as the new tunnel is completed. It was referred to the committee on rules.

Police Abuse

After a long debate the bill of Mr. McManus of Boston to prevent the ill treatment of arrested persons by police was substituted by a rising vote, 87 to 56. Mr. McManus said he knew of a case in station 4, Boston, where a prisoner was so badly beaten by three policemen that when he regained consciousness he was lying in a pool of blood on the floor of his cell.

The bill providing a $10 penalty for violation of the state board of health regulations on the keeping and exposing for sale of food was passed to be engrossed with an amendment to except the Boston market district.

The bill authorizing oyster cultivation licenses in Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket counties was ordered to a third reading. By a rising vote, 47 to 23, the bill of Mr. Lawler of Boston providing for a recall of the mayor of Boston on the petition of a majority of the voters was postponed.

Senator Williams of Dedham secured suspension of all rules in the senate to let through the bill to validate the action of Wellesley in accepting the act for the compensation of workmen on public works. The bill was given all its readings, engrossed and sent to the house.

Senator Doyle moved reconsideration of the vote of Thursday refusing to engross the Assessors' Appointment bill, and further action was postponed until Tuesday. Further consideration of the Boston Transit commission was postponed till Wednesday.

In the Senate

The legal affairs committee in the senate reported a bill to validate the proceedings of the town of Wellesley in accepting an act for the compensation of workmen injured on public works. Rules were suspended and the bill was given its several readings.

Senator Doyle moved for reconsideration of the defeat of the bill placing assessors in cities under civil service. Postponement was had to Thursday next.

Senator Horgan offered his new transit commission bill which reduces the membership on the board from five to three. Postponed to Wednesday next.

Bill for incorporation of insurance brokers was postponed to Wednesday.

In the senate the following bills were engrossed: Relative to consolidation of trust companies, relative to apportionment of sidewalk and curbstone assessments, relative to operation of boilers in apartment houses.

The senate ordered to a third reading bills to extend time for occupancy of Gretton colony buildings, to authorize county of Suffolk to pension May I. Everett, to authorize city of Chelsea to refund certain indebtedness, to revive charter of Essex Hosiery company.

Adverse reports were accepted on bills to authorize affirmations instead of oaths, on recall of judicial decisions, on bill relative to Sunday bootblacking, on bill for resignation of nurses, on assessing real and personal property at its true selling value. The adverse report on bill prohibiting use of glucose in confectionery was postponed to Thursday. The bill relative to wages of laborers and mechanics on public works was postponed to Tuesday, and the bill providing one day's rest in 15 for railroad employes was postponed to Wednesday.

Curley School Bill

Mayor Curley's bill for the abolition of the parental school in Boston and for the establishment of a disciplinary day school was recommended yesterday by the committee on rules.

The new school would be used for habitual truants. The schoolhouse commissioners are authorized to erect and equip the new school as approved by the mayor and street commissioners. Power is given the city to sell the land now occupied by the parental school.

Holiday party, Asso., Miner's, tonight.

VISITING DAY

Observed Yesterday at the Local Telephone Exchange

The Lowell Telephone exchange has been entertaining visitors at its plant in Appleton street for the last two or three days and yesterday afternoon about 400 visitors from this city and surrounding towns were shown through the big building. The company had sent out a general invitation to everybody to come and inspect the plant and "get acquainted," and Manager C. J. Leathers says he doesn't want the people to wait for any invitation but to come right along and visit the plant at any time. "It is a good thing for us to have people visit the plant," he said, "because after having witnessed what is going on and what we are up against they can the more readily appreciate conditions."

The reception committee that showed the visitors about the building consisted of C. J. Leathers, manager; F. P. Gray, Charles F. Stanley, W. C. Johnson, wire chief; E. E. Sargent, Edward Streeter, Miss Nellie Snow, chief operator and twelve of her assistants.

There were a great many things that appeared very wonderful to the visitors for the average telephone user has but a very slight appreciation of the things with which the operator has to contend. The lightning rapidity with which the operators worked seemed almost unbelieveable.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the plant inspected was the spacious room in which are employed the telephone operators for local and toll calls. Here, Miss Nellie F. Snow, the chief operator demonstrated the methods employed, and her instruction was especially interesting from the fact that she had a table which enabled her to indicate clearly and rapidly how a call is received at the exchange, and what the operator is required to do in the process of establishing communication.

Attention was called to the little light which twinkles in response to the removal of the receiver and indicates the desire for service, and the fact was impressed upon subscribers that the rapid manipulation of the receiver lever is not effective, for it causes no flash at the switchboard, whereas the slow working of the receiver lever is always effective.

Patriots and Miner's, Asso., tonight.

There will be an anniversary high mass at the Immaculate Conception church, Monday morning at 8 o'clock for Mr. Michael Leonard.

MILITANTS AT IT AGAIN

BELFAST, Ireland, April 18.—The Belfast corporation's tea rooms in Bellevue gardens were destroyed by fire today with a very large loss. The fire is believed by the police to have been the work of militant suffragettes.

Patriots and Miner's, Asso., tonight.

MOVIES DISPLACE DRAMA

FINE ARTS THEATRE, IN CHICAGO, CONVERTED INTO MOVING PICTURE HOUSE

CHICAGO, April 18.—The Fine Arts theatre, which has been the home of drama and musical comedy since it was constructed, will be transformed into a moving picture playhouse in two weeks, it was announced today.

The Fine Arts theatre is the seventh down-town playhouse that has changed to moving pictures in the last 18 months and the third in the last two weeks.

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Bids will be received for the Printing of the Annual Report of the Board of Park Commissioners up to 10 a. m. April 24th, at their office, City Hall. Information pertaining to same may be obtained at the office, City Hall, prior to April 24th.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

ALEXANDER E. ROUNTREE, Secretary, Board of Park Commissioners.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
5.48	6.50	2.55	3.37
6.25	7.26	6.00	6.58
6.47	7.30	7.13	8.24
b6.40	7.53	7.50	8.35
6.57	8.00	b8.21	8.28
7.21	8.05	9.00	9.39
7.56	8.37	9.30	10.08
x7.28	8.40	11.05	11.43
8.58	9.37	12.30	1.09
x9.12	10.24	2.00	3.06
9.45	10.50	3.00	3.46
10.00	11.10	b3.44	5.02
11.38	12.15	4.00	4.35
12.15	1.05	e4.34	5.32
1.45	2.25	5.00	5.38
2.30	3.27	b5.21	6.32
3.38	4.40	5.38	6.54
4.20	5.27	b5.51	7.14
5.31	6.28	6.14	7.23
b6.17	7.22	6.00	8.38
6.42	7.25	8.30	9.05
7.41	8.25	10.30	11.38
9.55	10.40	11.40	12.36

Portland Div.

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	From Boston Lve.	From Boston Arr.
6.45	7.56	z6.40	8.06
8.05	9.07	9.14	10.29
9.35	10.53	10.00	11.52
10.55	12.07	11.50	12.55
12.02	1.13	3.30	4.42
z1.27	2.39	6.14	8.11
3.40	4.41	6.03	7.07
5.15	6.28	7.00	8.11
7.25	8.36	9.59	11.02
10.20	11.28		

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

8.20	9.25	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.16	12.00	1.06
3.50	5.06	3.30	4.46
5.45	7.06	5.22	6.36
8.55	10.04	8.45	9.48

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

5.47	7.30	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.05	9.30	10.05
8.38	9.36	11.05	11.43
9.06	9.58	1.00	1.59
10.20	11.17	5.30	6.21
2.42	3.25	6.00	6.38
5.10	6.09	8.30	9.06
6.49	7.20	9.20	10.25
7.41	8.25	10.22	11.30
9.55	10.40		

References:

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Mrs. George L. Fowler has returned from a long stay at Los Angeles, Cal.

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Mrs. W. M. Myers has returned from a month's stay at Moers, N. Y.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

Col. Butler Ames and Mr. Adelbert Ames, Jr., will sail Tuesday for Europe. They will return by July 1.

Mrs. C. A. Lincoln of Hoyt avenue has been entertaining Mrs. A. W. Green of Hartford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Abbott of Westford have returned from a trip to Panama and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bailey have returned from a pleasant stay at Daytona Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Sidney K. Fuller of Waterville, Me., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Hill of 27 Belleune street.

Mrs. W. F. Stevens of West Meadow road is visiting Mrs. Wilbur Haywood in New York.

There will be a month's mind mass Monday morning, April 20, at St. Margaret's church at 7.30 a. m. for Mrs. Johanna M. Galvin.

There will be an anniversary mass of requiem at St. Peter's church, Monday morning at 7 o'clock for the late John Donahue

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FAVOR REPEAL OF TOLLS

N. Y. Chamber of Commerce is Unanimous in its Support—Olney Supports President

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Support for the proposed repeal of the tolls exemption clause of the Panama canal act was given yesterday before the senate canals committee by representatives of the New York chamber of commerce who said that their organization had approved of repeal by an overwhelming majority.

Their testimony caused a wordy conflict between Senator Bristow, opposing repeal, and Edward F. Page, a member of the chamber. After Mr. Page had declared the United States should repeal the exemption clause in order to avoid breaking a contract, Senator Bristow asked whether the supporters of repeal could not be called traitors to America as well as the opponents could be called violators of contracts.

"Those are catch words used by demagogues," replied the witness "but I do not intend to use any personalities. I do not believe the opponents of repeal have any right to question the loyalty of those on the other side."

Senator Bristow wanted to know whether the New York chamber of commerce had not been originally chartered before the revolution by King George of England. Mr. Page replied that was true, but that it now had a charter from the state of New York and he added that during the Civil war the organization gave money and loyally supported the Union.

Mr. Page declared that national honor and character were business assets to any nation, and that the industries of the United States in the future would largely be dependent upon exports. The business man of the country could do little if the nation did not keep its contracts, he added.

Eugene H. Outerbridge, an importer and exporter, said that on the basis of moral right, business and political expediency, and economic advisability, the preponderating opinion of business men with whom he had talked was against exemption of American vessels from tolls.

Senator O'Gorman, during his testimony, brought out that the Merchants association, a larger association than the chamber of commerce, had gone on record in favor of exemption.

A telegram approving of President Wilson's course on the tolls question, signed by Richard Olney, secretary of state in President Cleveland's cabinet, and other Massachusetts citizens, was read by Senator Simmons.

70 SURGEONS AT CLINIC

BALTIMORE, April 18.—Seventy eminent surgeons of Europe who have been attending the International congress of surgeons at New York, watched a clinic at Johns Hopkins hospital today. Later they inspected the buildings of the hospital and medical school.

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Fri.—By Mrs. Belle-Harrington Hall.

SECRET SERVICE MEN

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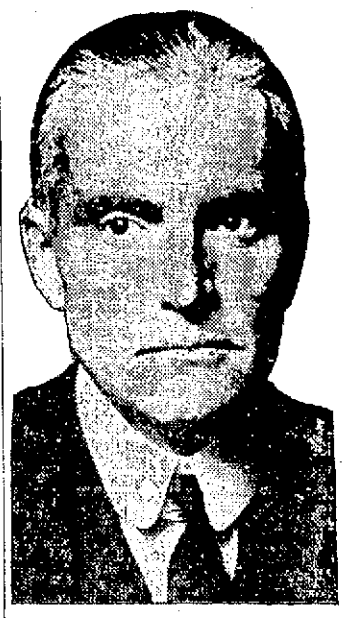
Arthur Woods today to assign a secret service squad of eight men under command of a police captain to guard Mayor Mitchel.

Mayor Mitchel, after seeing that Mr. Polk was made as comfortable as possible at the New York hospital, returned to his office and finished the day there as customary. Last night he attended a dinner at the New York Press club where he told the members of their organization that he had expected some such happening as the act of Mahoney but that "it does seem unfair that anyone else should have to take the consequences of the hazard that properly belongs to me."

The mayor went on to say that he did not believe the attack on him was due to the concerted action of a group of agitators. "When such a thing as that happens," he said, "it is the product of the disordered brain of some unfortunate individual—the man who does not think straight, who warps the facts that he partly gathers from the daily press in recording the action of the government."



FRANK L. POLK

Decided to Kill Mayor

To Police Captain Thomas Tunney, the mayor's would-be assassin said he had called at the city hall to remonstrate with Mayor Mitchel and had been "insulted" there.

"I then decided to kill him," he said. "I went down to the city hall Wednesday with the intention of killing him then, but I cooled off. Today (Friday) I went down there again with the intention of finishing the job."

The prisoner then told of waiting from 10 o'clock until the mayor and his party started to enter their automobile shortly after one o'clock and how he stood barely five feet from the object of his fancied hatred when he fired. He expressed that he had attempted to take Mayor Mitchel's life and was particularly sorry that the bullet had hit Mr. Polk.

Mahoney was born March 17, 1842, near Cork, Ireland, and came to this country about 60 years ago.

In his diary and in conversation with Capt. Tunney, Mahoney appeared to have a special grievance against the Masons and Odd Fellows and he also appeared to hold notions of wrongs against Andrew Carnegie and to have visionary ideas as to the proper conduct of the police department and other notions indicating a radical and erratic if not dangerous turn of mind.

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LOT ONE

Lot One comprises the very substantial and nice looking two and one-half story house with slated roof and granite foundation——numbered 389 Walker street. It has eight rooms, lower and upper square hall, also bathroom, pantry and laundry. Each one of the thirteen aforementioned rooms is unusually spacious; there is also a large unfinished attic—the size of the house and lighted by four dormer windows—that could be very easily finished into four chambers; the cellar, which is also the size of the house, is high posted, has concrete floor, is lighted from three sides, and has set off in convenient places a vegetable room, a preserve closet, shelving for winter storage of plants and coal bins. The lower floor is finished in natural wood with the exception of the parlor, and the windows are equipped with inside folding blinds to match; the ceilings of this floor were kalsomined, the wall repapered, and the woodwork newly dressed within twelve months; the pantry has large soapstone sink, marble pastry shelf, and closet cabinets; the laundry is at the westerly end of the house, is equipped with soapstone tubs, and summer cooking range. The house is heated throughout by an Arco "Ideal" steam boiler, numbered 2-22S, installed new within two years. Very few houses of so solid and complete a character as is this house are erected in the present day. With the exception of minor and the most ordinary repairs, it is in excellent condition throughout—from top to bottom. The living conveniences, particularly in the way of closets and drawer cabinets, are very noticeable, and the interior layout is unusually cheerful and attractive. The land with Lot One possesses a total area of some 7250 square feet, with a frontage of 50 feet on Walker street; the house sets back 15 feet from the sidewalk, is in the center of the frontage of the lot, is provided with broad open area on all four sides, and in its rear is a splendid garden plot about 50x50 feet; upon the premises are three grape vines trained on trellises, an apple tree, a quince tree, many rose bushes, also much lawn and shrubbery.

LOT TWO

Lot Two is a level plot of land 40x145 feet—40 ft. frontage on Walker street; it is laid down to lawn with garden plot 40x50 feet in the rear; has a group of six fruit trees; about the lawn are four rose bushes; at the front is a remarkable ailanthus shade tree, in the center is a maple shade tree. It adjoins the residence on the south side, is ready for immediate improvement, is desirable for many reasons, requires neither grading, filling, nor top dressing, in fact is already advanced to the point of building.

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The Westford Street line of trolley cars is within two minutes' actual and comfortable walk to the south; the trunk lines of trolley cars on Branch street are within four minutes' actual and comfortable walk to the north. The premises, of course, are in sight at any time; the house, however, will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. the day of sale or before by making an appointment so to do by telephoning 617M Lowell. The sale will take place upon the premises, regardless of any condition of the weather, on Friday, the 24th day of April, 1914, beginning promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Lot One is to be sold first and its sale will be immediately followed by that of Lot Two. Each lot will be sold to the highest bona fide bidder. The purchaser of Lot One must deposit with or satisfactorily secure to the auctioneers $400, just as soon as the lot is struck off; the purchaser of Lot Two must do the same with $200; of the purchase money for each lot possibly 60 per cent. may be had upon mortgage with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. All inquiries must be made at the office of the auctioneers.

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